

PESSIMISM AMONG ALABAMA FARMERS

However, the Majority of Reports Received Indicate Large Crops

CORN CROP IS VERY SHORT

"This is the life," said one Alabama farmer Sunday as he kicked a tuft of grass from his bale-to-the-acre cotton patch over into his hundred-bushels-to-the-acre corn field. His neighbor growled at the excessive heat, the unbroken drought and the boll weevil and swore he would cancel his fall order for a motor car before Tuesday morning.

These two extreme conditions characterize the states of mind on the Alabama R. F. D's. at the present, with optimism over the cotton crop in the lead. Two weeks ago it was all optimism on Alabama farms, and nothing less than a bumper crop would have filled the planters' expectations; now an unbroken drought of ten days, a batch of boll weevils, and a retarding growth has thrown a harpoon into the happiness of a few.

While many counties report a record crop, some of them are gloomy. Unfavorable weather conditions came at a critical moment in some of the counties, and the outlook is bad, they say. Clarke county is probably the most pessimistic. The correspondents say there is "not enough corn to winter a goose, and the boll weevil is dying of starvation because of the scarcity of cotton." Butler county is represented to be so dry that only fifty per cent of the corn crop will be made.

Good rains now would bring the crop forth. Crenshaw also has a bad outlook at the present. Droughts and heat are hurting the crop in Barbour, Bibb, Cleburne, Cherokee, Etowah, Dallas, Pickens, Hale and Wilcox. Corn, potatoes, fruit and other truck, however, is the greatest sufferer in these counties. In most of the sections the heat is severe, but the plant has withstood it well. Boll weevils are reported in Baldwin, Butler, Hale, Wilcox, Crenshaw and Monroe, but only Butler, Hale and Crenshaw are suffering to any extent from this pest.

In the face of these pessimistic reports there come forward other sections, reporting bumper crops. A record production will be noted in Augusta, Chilton, Jefferson, Lowndes and Monroe counties. Chilton county has probably the brightest future, the

Henderson Spent \$27,952.85 In Campaign

Montgomery, June 29.—Charles Henderson, governor-elect, spent \$27,952.85 to win the gubernatorial nomination. Mr. Henderson filed his expense account with Secretary of State Cyrus B. Brown this afternoon. Mr. Henderson is the only one of the candidates for governor who has filed his expense account. The amount he spent in his successful campaign is about \$5,000 in excess of the sum which Mr. Comer is said to have spent.

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of marriage licenses which were issued at the Probate office during the month of June: White

M. Wilson Shoemaker to Miss Elizabeth Coker.

John L. Brasher to Miss Mary Franklin.

Henry Sewel to Miss Annie E. Boothe.

Charlie Wells to Miss Callie Honeycutt.

John Bates to Miss Lucy Oakes.

John H. Thompson to Miss Alva Garrett.

Maldon Roy to Miss Martha Anderson.

Colored.

Arthur Curry to Laura Hubbard.

Walter Young to Rosa Wallace.

Henry Kirksey to Carrie Edwards.

George Thomas to Maud Hargrove.

Picnic At Kewahatchie

The I. O. O. F. of Shelby will have a picnic and public installation of officers at Kewahatchie spring, July 4th. Good speaking and music with all kinds of refreshments. Everybody invited to come with filled baskets and enjoy the day with us.

J. W. Garris
H. G. Jordan
J. O. Jones
O. K. Curlee
Committee

correspondent says, with plenty of rain, sunshine and an increase in acreage. Good crops are also reported in Montgomery, Calhoun, Fuscalsosa, Russell, Perry, Colbert, Covington and Lawrence counties. Montgomery Advertiser, June 29.

ODD FELLOWS TO MEET AT PELHAM ON JULY FOURTH

Pelham, Ala., June 27.—Odd Fellows and speakers from all parts of the state are expected to gather at Pelham July 4, to attend the picnic to be given by the Pelham lodge of I. O. O. F. Speaking, a basket dinner and three games of baseball will be the features of the event.

One of the principal speakers of the day will be James Sharp, special deputy grand master I. O. O. F., of Birmingham. It is expected that George Huddleston, P. P. Daugette, of Birmingham, will be present and take active parts in the day's program.

It is estimated that as many as 2,000 visitors will attend.

BARBECUE JULY 4TH

There will be a Barbecue and general good time at Shelby Springs on the 4th of July. Come and enjoy the day with us.

McMillen Bro's., Prop's.

HARD LABOR IS GIVEN SEVEN MEN

Dothan, Ala., June 26.—Six Dothan men and one resident of Ashford were given hard labor sentences in the Circuit Court today for violating the prohibition laws. Two of the sentences were suspended and appeals were taken in the others.

Sentence was passed on Will Griffin, 6 months; Charlie Trautwein, 3 months; King Richards, 6 months; Clem Bush, 6 months; Gus Stephens, 6 months; A. M. Stevens, \$250 and 6 months; and Davis Hunter, \$50 and 6 months. The last two sentences were suspended and appeals were taken in the other cases.

Several of the defendants are merchants of Dothan.

Picnic At Nivens And Shaw's Mill, July 4

There will be a picnic at Nivens and Shaw's Mill, 2 1/2 miles east of Deershurst, on July 4. There will be ball games and other entertainments during the day. Everybody invited to come and bring well filled baskets.

G. W. Stone,
F. B. Shaw,
F. F. Miller,
Com. on Arrangement.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

The Northeast Fourth of the Southeast Fourth, Section 15, Township 19, Range 2 East, less eight acres in the Northeast corner of Northeast Fourth of Southeast Fourth, all in Shelby County, Ala.

Lievyed upon as the property of W. D. Bailey to satisfy said F. F. in my hands in favor of International Harvester Company of America.

This 30th day of June, 1914.

J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

Arthur Looney's

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The Place To Get Your Barber Work

ARTHUR LOONEY,

Prop.

Columbiana - - Alabama

NEW GIN BEING CONSTRUCTED

Work on the new gin house of W. H. Shrader will begin this week, and the building will be completed by Aug. 1, the gin will be ready for operation by the first of September. Four 70 saw gins will be installed. The plant will be up-to-date in every way. This new enterprise will add much to Columbiana, and will be of great benefit to the farmers in this section.

TEACHERS STATE EXAMINATION

The next State Examination for the teachers of Shelby County will be held at Columbiana, Ala., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1914.

All applicants must be present at 10 o'clock Monday morning. I will furnish paper, but applicants must furnish pen and ink.

S. P. Williamson,
Co. Supt. Education.

Overflow Locals

Willie Compton is spending the week at Linden and Myrtlewood.

On account of the hot dry weather for the past few weeks, the crop outlook is not very promising in this county, especially old corn. In many parts of the county rain is needed very bad.

John H. Thompson, of Arkwright and Miss Alva Garrett, of Vincent, were married at the residence of James Finley here last Sunday afternoon, Judge A. P. Longshore officiating.

Dog Killing Carnival Held At Eufaula

Eufaula, Ala., June 27.—Unmuzzled dogs were killed wholesale by the police today, especially as fifteen or twenty had been bitten within the past few days by dogs that were supposed to be suffering with rabies. No less than thirty were killed within a few hours by the officers, while others were landed in the city pound for being without muzzles.

Preacher Attacked By Furious Mob

Hammond, Ind., June 29.—Rev. A. H. Sorsby, of Nashville, Tenn., sustained a fractured skull when he was attacked last night by a mob of people who disbelieved his statement that "hell is full of infants."

The attack occurred during services. The church was riddled with stones, rotten eggs and bullets. A number of women worshipers were struck by missiles. After the first fusillade the lights were extinguished and free-for-all fighting began. Sorsby was hit on the head with a large stone and picked up unconscious.

Singing School.

There will be a singing school taught at Lesters Chapel church by Prof. Jno. M. Dye, beginning July 27 1914. For further information concerning tuition and board write

W. E. Lester,
S. L. Bradley,
Roy Simmons,
W. H. Vick,
Columbiana, Ala., Rte 2.

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JASPER INGRAM KILLS MONTEVALLO LABORER

Montevallo, Ala., June 27.—Jasper Ingram, a white farmer living near this place, last night shot and killed a white man named Warren who recently arrived here. Ingram came to Montevallo and surrendered to a deputy sheriff. While sitting on a porch of the residence of the town marshal, Ingram's father came to see him. Shortly afterwards the County Solicitor arrived at the residence of the marshal and while the solicitor conversed with Ingram's father, Ingram left the house by a rear door and has not been seen since.

The killing of Warren grew out of a difficulty between Warren and Ingram over the method of serving meals at Ingram's house. Warren was a laborer on the new highway being built near Montevallo, and he purchased his meals at Ingram's house. Because of his ragged appearance, Ingram refused to permit Warren to enter his house to eat, and because of this refusal a quarrel ensued, which resulted in Warren's death at the hands of Ingram.

Brazewell--Nelson

One of the most important events of the season was the wedding of Miss Ruby Nelson and Mr. Thomas D. Brazewell, of Wylam, which took place at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. J. W. Johnston of this city last Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The parlors were decorated in palms, ferns and southern smilax. The bridesmaids were Miss Ida Mae Cross and Miss Bertha Price, who became gowned in white lingerie dresses and pink ribbons. The groomsmen were Mr. Cecil Cross and Mr. Cecil Nelson.

The bride and groom entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, which was played by Miss Nallie Page, and took their place before the improvised altar, where the Rev. T. K. Roberts pronounced them one. The bride was charming in white charmesse, and carried an arm cluster of white carnations. After the ceremony Misses Correll Farley and Ethel Dorough served punch to the guests. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Nelson of Wylam, Ala. Mrs. Brazewell is a favorite in Columbiana, having visited here quite often.

Mr. Brazewell is a promising business man of Wylam.

Notice To Teachers!

The Shelby County Teachers Institute will be held in Columbiana the week beginning August 10th, 1914. Every teacher must attend or have a legal excuse; otherwise their certificates will be cancelled. It should also be remembered that no teacher can comply with the law unless that teacher is present for enrollment on the first afternoon before the regular hour for beginning, and answer to roll call on each and every day and session thereafter.

S. P. Williamson,
County Supt. Education.

Program

Shelby County Farmers Union and Shelby County Farmers Institute, to be held in conjunction at Spring Creek school house, three miles east of Montevallo, July 15, 16 and 17, 1914.

Wednesday, July 15.

10:30 A. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.

11:00. "What the Farmer's Union stands for"—A. J. Glen, Ashland, Ala. Noon.

1:30 P. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.

2:00. "Soil Building"—L. R. Noel, editor Southern Agriculturist, Nashville, Tenn.

3:00. "My experience with clovers"—R. E. Lambert, clover expert, Darlington, Ala.

4:00. Executive session.

Thursday, July 16th.

9:15 A. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.

9:30. "Legumes with and after oats"—General discussion, led by C. E. Leonard, Pelham, Ala.

10:30. "Community Betterment"—W. H. Conway, Jamison, Ala.

11:00. "Where the Farmer's Union has failed"—O. P. Ford, McFall, Ala. Noon.

1:30 P. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.

2:00. "Stock Raising"—L. R. Noel, Nashville, Tenn., and R. E. Lambert, Darlington, Ala.

3:00. "Home Conveniences and Health"—Miss Helen Harlin, county nurse of Chilton county, Clanton, Ala. 4:00. Executive Session.

Friday, July 17.

9:00 A. M. Executive Session--Farmer's County Union.

The public is cordially invited to attend July 15th and 16th.

J. E. Yeager,
S. L. Chesnut,
Program Com.

C. E. Niven Has Charge Of Postoffice

C. E. Niven, who was appointed postmaster at this place some time ago, took charge of the office Wednesday morning. Mr. Mason, the retiring postmaster, during his term in office, made the people of Columbiana and vicinity, a clever and accommodating postmaster. Mr. Mason has not decided yet what business he will enter.

Shelby County Musical Convention

The annual session of the Shelby County Musical Convention will be held at Liberty church, Chelsea, Ala., on the fourth Sunday in July. A full attendance is expected as the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. Come prepared to enjoy the occasion.

John M. Dye, President.
Edgar Minor, Secretary.

Pension Warrants For Fourth Quarter

The pension warrants for the old soldiers for the fourth quarter ending July 1st, can be secured from the Probate Judge by calling at his office.

Committee Meets

The Progressive Executive Committee of this county met at the court house here last Saturday, and nearly every beat in the county was represented. In the absence of J. S. Pitts, the chairman, W. E. Finley was elected temporary chairman and presided over the meeting, and J. F. Baker acted as Secretary.

J. S. Pitts was re-elected permanent chairman, and W. E. Finley, secretary.

Ray Picnic July 4th

The celebrated annual picnic known as the Ray Picnic, will be held at the Page Spring on Saturday, July 4th. Everybody is invited to come and bring well filled baskets.

Milner & Christian.

Engagement Announced

The engagement of Miss Maud Perkins to Mr. H. McGiboney was announced Friday afternoon at a party given by Mrs. C. K. Brosheer, at her home on West Cumberland avenue, to a few intimate friends of the bride-elect. The announcement was made in the form of a telegram, addressed to Miss Cathie Arthur, delivered by a Cumberland Telegraph messenger during the progress of the party.

Miss Perkins was showered with congratulations at the conclusion of the reading of the telegram, which was very cleverly written in rhyme. The wedding will take place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Perkins on Thursday, July 9th. A bridal tour is planned, after which they will return and go to housekeeping in the brick cottage of Mrs. Harrison near completion on Englewood Road.

Miss Perkins is one of our most popular school teachers, while Mr. McGiboney is superintendent of the Middleboro Water Co. and is highly esteemed by his employers.—The Pine-needle News, Middlesboro, Ky., June 25.

Mr. McGiboney is well known to many of our citizens, and is a brother of John McGiboney of this place.

Lester's Chapel

Rev. L. N. Hartsfield filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Prof. J. C. Harper left Sunday for Clarke County to transact business.

Columbus and Dan Blackberry spent Saturday night on Fourmile with relatives.

J. C. Vick and J. B. McCullers spent Saturday in Columbiana on business.

H. A. Lester and family of Columbiana visited relatives in our community Sunday.

W. H. Simmons spent one day last week in Columbiana.

W. E. Lester paid Chelsea a visit Saturday.

A. C. Walton and John Blackberry, Jr. spent Sunday in Columbiana.

R. W. Walton spent Sunday in our community.

Roy Simmons is spending the week at Chelsea on business.

Joe Kendrick of East Saginaw was here Sunday.

J. S. Hartsfield is moving his saw mill from Sterrett to our community, and will begin sawing at an early date.

Peavine and Rancheson.

For Sale!

28 acres land, 1 1/4 miles from court house on Columbiana and Wilsonville road, one mile from County High School; four room dwelling, good well free stone water, good pasture with lasting spring of water. For further information, call on or write, J. H. Stone, Columbiana, Ala.

PROGRAM TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Which Will be Held Here, Commencing Monday Afternoon, August 10th, 1914

WILL BE IN SESSION 5 DAYS

The following program will be rendered at the teachers institute, which begins at the High School Auditorium on Monday afternoon, August 10th.

MONDAY AFTERNOON

1:30. Opening Exercises. Music and Devotional.

1:45. Announcement by the superintendent of special plans for the week, such as department meetings, evening sessions, appointment of committees, ushers, reporter, secretary, pianist, etc. The superintendent should appoint an official timekeeper with call bell, for service during the institute.

2:00. Introduction of Instructors

2:15. The school as a community center; what it means and how to make it so.

2:40. Boy's Clubs: Their place and Purpose in the Community, and Suggestions for Organizing them.

3:20. Department Meetings:
(a) Vocational work for boys.
(b) Vocational work for girls.

MONDAY EVENING.

8:00. Annual Institute Social.

TUESDAY FORENOON.

8:40. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle Study. Colgrove's "The Teacher and the School."

9:40. Department meeting:
English:
Elementary Section: Reading in primary grades.

Grammar School Section: Reading in grammar grades.

10:20. Recess.

10:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Spelling in primary grades.
Grammar School Section: Spelling in grammar grades.

11:20. Better Health Conditions in the Community.

12:05. Recess.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON

2:00. Music, announcements, etc.

2:15. Men's Clubs: Their Function in the Community and How to Organize them.

3:00. Department Meeting:
(a) Vocational Work for Boys.
(b) Vocational Work for Girls.

TUESDAY EVENING

7:00. Twilight Story Hour.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON.

8:30. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle Study: Colgrove's "The Teacher and the School."

9:40. Department Meeting:
English:
Elementary Section: Model Reading Lesson, with children

Grammar School Section: Mydel Reading Lesson, using teachers as pupils.

10:20. Recess.

10:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Language in Primary Grades
Grammar School Section: Language in Grammar Grades.

11:20. Better Economic Conditions in the Community.

12:05. Recess.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

2:00. Music, etc.

2:15. School Improvement Work in Shelby County.

3:00. Department Meeting:
(a) Vocational Work for Boys.
(b) Vocational Work for Girls.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

8:00. Educational Address.

THURSDAY FORENOON

8:40. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle:
Organization and plans for work in the county for the coming year.

9:40. Department Meeting:
English:
Elementary Section: Written work in primary grades.

Grammar School Section: Written work in grammar grades.

10:20. Recess.

10:40. Department Meeting:
English:
Elementary Section: Model Language Lesson.

Grammar School Section: Model Language Lesson.

11:20. Better Social Conditions in the Community.

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COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative:

H. C. HURST.

For Sheriff:

W. B. SEALE.

TAX SALES.

The State of Alabama, Shelby County.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of decrees rendered by the Probate court of said County on the 3rd day of June, 1914, the real estate hereinafter described will be sold before the court house door of said county between the hours of 11 a. m. and 4 p. m. on Saturday, the 11th day of July, 1914, for the taxes, costs and charges due for the year 1913, and such other years as are hereinafter stated, all of said real estate being situated in Shelby County, Ala., and assessed to the following persons and owner unknown, to-wit:

BEAT ONE.

S E Beck...Lots 12 and 13, block 31, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 2.68, adv. 1.00

J M Baker, Trustee...S. R. N half of ne qr and ne qr of sw qr and s half of nw qr, section 33, tp 17 r 1 e. Tax and cost 3.50, adv. 1.68

M and O L Colmont...All that part w half of sw qr sec 21, tp 19, r 1 e, lying south and east of Pumpkin Swamp road, and so qr of sw qr sec 21, tp 19, r 1 e, also all that part w 110 yds off sec 21 that lies south east of said road, section 21, township 19, range 1 east. Tax and cost 13.75, adv. 4.70

Esther Graham...25 acres off w side sw qr and 15 acres off e side of sw qr of se qr and 10 acres off west end se qr of se qr and 20 acres off the e end ne qr of se qr, sec 17, tp 24, r 12 e. Tax and cost 5.50, adv. 3.50

W B Holcombe...One lot on Depot street No 148 as per map of Columbiana. Tax and cost 7.00, adv. 1.90

Jesse Harris...Lots 17, 18, 19, and 20 block 82 Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 2.95, adv. 1.10

Willie and Mary Hutton...Lots 15 and 16 block 21 Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 2.80, adv. 1.10

Josie Johnson...One acre bounded on west by land formerly owned by M. Mason and known as the Mason line, and north by Southern R. R., south by land of W. E. Price and east by land of W. B. Browne and Joe Milner, Columbiana. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 3.50

Mary F Jones and H E Staggs...Beginning at the corner 9 feet southwest of the Harmony Bham church cemetery and running west 55 yards, thence south 88 yds to an alley running east and west, thence east along the north boundary line of said alley 55 yds, thence north 88 yds to point of beginning, 1 acre in nw qr of sec 22, tp 20, r 2 w. Tax and cost 2.87, 5.10.

Alberta Lee...Lot 23, block 17, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 2.65, adv. 80 cents

Nichols and Cosper...Ne qr of ne qr and nw qr of ne qr, sec 30, tp 21, r 1 w. Tax and cost 37.30, adv. 1.54

Ben Nave, col...Lots 31 and 32 block 19, lots 35X100 feet each, Shelby, Ala. Tax and cost 3.19, adv. 1.34

John Swann Estate...Mineral Right N half of ne qr and sw qr of ne qr, sec 12, tp 19, r 2 w. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 1.54

Robt Sawyers...20 acres across west side w half of nw qr sec 12, tp 22, r 1 w. Tax and cost 2.25, adv. 1.40

Florida Toran...Lots 15 and 16 block 27, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 2.73, adv. 90 cents

Hattie Wallace...Lots 3 and 4 block 44, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 2.65, adv. 1.04

Lucinda Brown...Lots 17, 18 and 19 block 38, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.23, adv. 1.00

George Baker, Heirs-S. R. N 1/2 of ne qr and ne qr of sw qr and s half of nw qr sec 32, tp 17, r 1 e. Tax and cost 9.00, adv. 1.70

Max Bohman...Lot 26 in block 6 and lot 3 in block 8 and lot 17 in block 9, Helena Land Co. survey. Tax and cost 3.51, adv. 1.90

Allison Battie...Lot 4 block 2, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.07, adv. 80 cents

M B Cloud...Lot 1 block No 1, Fords addition to Helena. Tax and cost 3.37, adv. 1.04

Lou Calvin...Lots 1 and 2 block 12, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.23, adv. 90 cents

Laura Davis...Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32 block 32, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 1.06

A N Darden...Lots 17 and 18 block 39, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 1.00

Lula Ellison...Lot No 3 block 31, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.05, adv. 84 cents

Kelly Hill...Lots 21, 22 and 23 block 38, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.23, adv. 90 cents

Mrs. M J Honeycutt...S R to e half of nw qr of se qr of sw qr sec 34 tp 21 r 4 w, tax and cost 3.75, adv. 1.30

Clay Holman...Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20 block 16, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 1.04

H M Henderson-S. R. Se qr of ne qr sec 4, tp 21, r 4 w, tax and cost 4.80, adv. 1.33

G Grant Hays...Lot 12 block 46, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.06, adv. 84 cents

Film Jordan...Lots 18 and 19, block 15, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

J A Jackson...Lots 10 and 11, block 46, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 1.00

Hosey Jonsson...Lots 3 and 4, block 1, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Offie Kelley...Lots 29 and 30, block 4, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Florence Lee...Lots 10 to 16 inclusive, block 28, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.75, adv. 1.00

H M Morissett...Lots 15 and 16, block 7, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 1.00

Ida Mitchell...Lots 8 and 9, block 7, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.12, adv. 90 cts.

Jas G Oakley no 1...Fee Simple, e 1/2 of sw qr and one half interest in w half of sw qr, sec 7, tp 24 r 12 e. Surface Right nw qr of nw qr, sec 18, tp 24, r 12 e. and Surface Right n half of ne qr and Fee Simple to e half of nw qr and 6 acres in nw cor of nw qr of se qr, sec 13, tp 24, r 11 e. Tax and cost 36.90, adv. 4.50

Jas G Oakley no 2...S 1/2 of se qr sec 7 tp 24, r 12 e, se qr of nw qr and sw qr and s half of se qr sec 8, tp 24, r 12 e. that part s half of sw qr west of Montevallo public road sec 9, tp 24, r 12 e, w half of ne qr and that part se qr of ne qr west of Randolph and Montevallo road, nw qr of sw qr and nw qr sec 17, tp 24, r 12 e, and ne qr of se qr and ne qr, sec 18, tp 24, r 12 e. Tax and cost 158.00, adv. 6.30.

Mrs. F E Patterson...Se qr of se qr, sec 10, tp 18, r 1 e. Tax and cost 4.50, adv. 1.20

Cecil Stevens...ots 2 and 3, block 11, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Silas Stevens...Lots 18 and 19, block 8, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Henry Savannah...Lots 11, 12, 13 and 14, block 18, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 1.12

Geo W Vaughan...Lots 15 and 16, block 2, lots 9 and 10, block 8, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.30, adv. 1.40

Wm Weaver...Se qr of ne qr, sec 18, tp 21, r 1 e, ne qr of nw qr, less 4 acres off w side sec 7, tp 24, r 12 e, and 8 acres off the s end ne qr of ne qr, sec 24, tp 22, r 3 w. Tax and cost 10.50, adv. 3.40

Dr. N J Watts...Lots 7 and 8, block 33, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 1.04

E. Walt...Se qr, sec 36, tp 18, r 2 w. Tax and cost 6.00, adv. 90 cts

Willie Wallace...Lots 19 and 20, block 17, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Rebecca Wells...Lots 29 and 30, block 39, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.23, adv. 90 cts.

Mattie Armstrong...Lots 13, 14, 15 and 16, block 10, and lots 30, 31 and 32, block 7, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.54

Acme Lumber and Coal Co...S half and s half of ne qr and nw qr of ne qr sec 2, tp 19, r 2 w, and mineral right dw qr of ne qr sec 36, tp 18, r 2 w. Tax and cost 36.00, adv. 2.60

A C Ackerman...Ne qr of se qr sec 7, tp 22, r 2 w. Tax and cost 6.30, adv. 1.04

T H Bowers...Lot 22, block 200, Calera Townsite Co., Calera, Ala. Tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.04

J A Bowers...Lots 7 and 8, block 190 Calera Townsite Co., Calera, Ala. Tax and cost 3.99, adv. 1.20

A D Bolton...Lot 16, block 191, Calera Townsite Co., Calera, Ala. Tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.04

Jas. A Bates...Lot 1, block no. 204, Calera Townsite Co., Calera, Ala. Tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.12

Ed Bryant, col...1 and one half acres in nw corner ne qr of nw qr sec 14, tp 22, r 1 w. Tax and cost 3.75, adv. 1.54

W N Bristow...Fraction O, section 21, tp 22, r 1 w. Tax and cost 4.65, adv. 1.04

Lee Cardwell...One-fourth interest in 9 acres in S and of w half of nw qr of ne qr, sec 17, tp 22, r 1 e. Tax and cost 4.62, adv. 1.90

Andrew Colias...Lot 5, block 204, lot 23, block 205, Calera Townsite Co. Tax and cost 3.99, adv. 1.12

Geo Cavallas...Lot 11 in block 206, Calera Townsite Co. tax and cost 3.49, adv. 90 cts.

Jno Colley, Jr...Lot 24, block 191, Calera Townsite Co. tax and cost 3.49, adv. 90 cts

Armister Cunnevers...Lots 2, 9, 30, 31 and 32, block 38, Dunnivant heights tax and cost 3.33, adv. 1.04

Wm Chadbourn...Lots 1 to 8, block 191 Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.49, adv. 90 cts.

Will Cosper...Lot 14, block 9, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.33, adv. 98 cts

Albert Cunningham...Lots 27 and 28 block 20, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts.

Solomon Browner...Lots 5 and 6, block 5, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.15, adv. 90 cts

Silas L Borrough...Lots 27 and 28, block 27, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.17, adv. 1.00

Josephine Blount...Lot 31 block 8, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.07, adv. 80 cents

Margaret Bush...Lots 3 and 4 block 37, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Weatherly Stanton...16 acres off s side sw qr of ne qr and off n side nw qr of se qr, sec. 1, tp. 22, r 1 w. Tax and cost \$4.95, adv. \$1.27.

Richard Lewis...Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, block 21, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost \$2.49, adv. 90 cents.

Sevie Beck...Lots 31 and 32 block 35, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

D J Cassimus...Lot 10 in block 99, Calera Townsite Co. tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.00

Lizzie Benning...Lot 12 block 42, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.05, adv. 80 cents.

along the 40 line to section line between sec 22 and 23, tp 20, r 3 w, and thence north along sec line 31.4 yds to land now owned by T B Mullin, thence west along boundary line between this and A B Mullin land to point of beginning, and also 15 acres in sw qr of nw qr sec 23, tp 20, r 3 w, and described as follows: Commencing at 32 on sec line between sec line 22 and 23, tp 20, r 3 w, 165 yds north of s corner of sw qr of nw qr sec 23, tp 20, r 3 w, thence north along said section line 165 yds to T B Mullins land, 440 yds to east side of said 40 acres, thence south 165 yds along said line, thence west 440 yds to point of beginning, containing 35 acres. tax and cost 16.20, adv. 14.70

F W Dixon...S. R. That part sw qr of sw qr, 15 acres west of branch, sec 1, tp 18, r 2 e, se qr of se qr sec 2, tp 18, r 2 e, and ne qr of ne qr sec 11, tp 18, r 2 e, and that part nw qr of nw qr west of creek sec 12, tp 18, r 2 e. tax and cost 7.12, adv. 4.20

M P Davis...That part 15 acres off south end nw qr of nw qr sec 16, tp 21, r 1 w. tax and cost 5.26, adv. 1.60

Geo A Davis...Se qr of sw qr sec 36, tp 19, r 2 w, tax and cost 5.64, adv. 1.12

Mrs M S Eidge...lot 18, block 191, Calera Townsite Co. tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.00

Stella Ewing...lots 4 and 5, block 28, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Sam and Jennie Evans, col...lots 21, 22, 26 and 28, block 29, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.26

Sam M Evans...lot 27, block 17, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.09, adv. 84 cents

Maggie Free...lots 15 and 16, block 9, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.11, adv. 84 cents

Henry and Lucy Ford...lots 15 and 16, block 8, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.06

Jno L Goodson...W half of se qr and se qr of se qr and n half of sw qr and half interest nw qr of ne qr and n half interest se qr of ne qr and nw qr of nw qr sec 32, tp 20, r 2 w; and ne qr of nw qr sec 32, tp 20, r 2 w. tax and cost 11.25, adv. 3.90

Peter Gavatos...lots 9 and 11, block 87, lot 9 in block 205, Calera Townsite Co. tax and cost 4.47, adv. 1.34

J R Gaston...All tract sec 6, all tract sec 7, all tract sec 8, all tract sec 17 in tp 22, r 2e; ne qr of nw qr sec 18, tp 22, r 2 e, and e half of se qr sec 12, tp 22, r 1 e, and e half of se qr sec 12, tp 22, r 1 e; tax and cost \$5.50, adv. 1.50

D Green and wife...lots 14 15 and 16, block 13, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.12

Oliver and Rhoda Garrett...lots 31 and 32 block 30, Dunnivant heights tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.04

Mrs Harrett Hoskins...S half of lots 4 and 5, block 4, Helena, Ala. tax and cost 4.65, adv. 1.12

Nesbet Hambaugh...Ne qr sec 31, tp 18, r 1 w. tax and cost 8.94, adv. 1.12

Mrs M E Hamilton...N half of ne qr of se qr and nw qr of se qr and ne qr of sw qr less 6 acres north Pumpkin Swamp road, sec 21, tp 19, r 1 e. tax and cost 12.90, adv. 2.50.

Allen Hall...lots 9 and 10, block 1, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Mandy Hammond...lot 12, block 48, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.07, adv. 80 cents

Fannie Harris...lot 13, block 15, Dunnivant heights. tax and cost 3.07, adv. 80 cents

Emms Hill...lots 21 and 22, block 21 Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 84 cents

A J Jackson...Lots 1, 2 and 3, block 27, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.99, adv. 1.04

Helen Jennings...N half of nw qr and sw qr of nw qr and nw qr of sw qr, tp 18, r 1 e, tax and cost 7.95, adv. 1.60

Jefferson County Savings Bank...N half of se qr and ne qr of se qr, sec 8, tp 18, r 1 e, tax and cost 15.37, adv. 1.50

Will King...Lots 13 and 14, block 7, Dunnivant Heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cts

Nancy Lindsey...One vacant lot adjoining property of J T Barnett, and designated as lot 209 1/2 map of Columbiana, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.04

P P Larkle...Lot 14, block 94, Calera Townsite Co., tax and cost 3.49, adv. 1.00

James Leving...Lots 23 and 24, block 12, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.00

Charles Lamon...lots 29 and 30, block no. 6, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.00

Fannie and Charlie Luchens...lots 20 and 21, block 43, Dunnivant heights tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.04

Ida Long...lots 22 and 23, block no. 22, Dunnivant heights, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.00

Lathrop, Hatten Lumber Co...Ne qr of se qr and nw qr of ne qr west of Ginn House Branch and part ne qr of sw qr of sw qr sec 18, tp 18, r 1 e, tax and cost 6.30, adv. 2.30

Mrs. S E McClinton...Se qr of sw qr sec 8, tp 21, r 1 w and ne qr of nw qr sec 17, tp 21, r 1 w, tax and cost 4.43, adv. 1.96

Rosa Wells, col...4 acres west of Shelby Iron Company's railroad, nw qr of nw qr sec 12, tp 22, r 1 w, tax and cost 3.16, adv. 1.70

Jesse Moore...W half of w half of nw qr, sec 8, tp 21, r 1 w. Tax and cost 7.54, adv. 1.20

Britton and Ella Merrett...Lot 21 block 8 Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Mose McWhorter...Lots 2 and 3, block 27, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Will Melver...Lots 15 and 16, block 46, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Bessie Walton...Lots 31 and 32, block 16, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Sadie Mitchell...Lots 10 and 11, block 16, Dunnivant heights. Tax and cost 3.16, adv. 90 cents

Owner Unknown--Lot 19, block 4, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 3, block 5, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 4, block 5, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lots 7 and 8, block 5, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.21, adv. 1.00

Owner Unknown--Lots 1 and 2, block 6, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.21, adv. 90 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 25, block 6, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 2, block 7, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 21, block 7, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 22, block 9, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 23, block 7, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 30, block 9, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 29, block 9, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 30, block 9, Dunnivant Heights. Tax and cost 3.11, adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 31, block 13, Dunnivant Heights, tax and costs, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 32, block 13, Dunnivant Heights, tax and costs, \$2.61; adv. 80c.

Owner Unknown--Lot 32, block 14, Dunnivant Heights, tax and costs, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 3, block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax and cost, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 4, block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax and cost, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 15 block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax and cost, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 16, block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax ond cost, \$2.61; adv., 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 20, block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax and cost, \$2.61; adv. 80 cents.

Owner Unknown--Lot 21, block 15, Dunnivant Heights; tax ond cost, \$2.61; adv., 80 cents.

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The Busy Corner

Backward and Forward

Looking backward we see some things to regret,
some things of which we are proud.

This backward look clears our vision for a better
view of the future. We have a wider vision, a saner
perspective. Out of the fund of experience we know
enough to avoid some mistakes, and reduce the chances
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THE SOIL, to which we must devote scientific attention
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

About People You Know—Some You Don't Know

Cecil Cross spent last Thursday
in Montgomery.

H. M. Bentley, of beat 8, spent
Monday in town.

R. D. Crim, of Longview, spent
Saturday in town.

A. R. Looney spent Sunday at
Talladega Springs.

Sheriff J. R. Allan was in Bir-
mingham last Thursday.

A. P. R. Dahl, of Calera, was in
the city last Thursday.

P. N. Gilbert, of near Chelsea,
gas in town last Friday.

L. D. Tatum spent Tuesday in
Birmingham on business.

Dr. F. F. Crowe, of Montevallo,
was in the city Saturday.

Max Lefkovits spent Sunday
and Monday in Bessemer.

Walter E. Riddle, of Wilson-
ville, was in town Monday.

O. Cost, of Pelham, was among
the visitors here Saturday.

E. L. Bentley, of Pelham, was
in town Friday on business.

S. Z. T. Champion, of Sterrett,
spent last Saturday in town.

W. W. Wallace was in Montgom-
ery Friday on legal business.

There will be services at the
Presbyterian church next Sunday.

J. W. Millstead, of Birmingham,
visited relatives here last Friday.

Miss Katie Mae McIntyre visited
relatives in Birmingham Sunday.

G. F. Peter, of Maylene, was in
the city Thursday last on busi-
ness.

G. J. Goodwin, of Sterrett, was
in town last Wednesday on busi-
ness.

John Watson, of Vandiver, was
in town last Saturday on busi-
ness.

Chester Browne visited relatives
in Birmingham a few days last
week.

Miss Fannie Pitts returned Fri-
day from a visit to friends in At-
lanta.

Supt. S. P. Williamson, of Chel-
sea, was in the city Friday on busi-
ness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holcombe,
of Calera, spent Sunday here with
relatives.

Thos. J. Judge, of Birmingham,
was in the city Saturday on legal
business.

Dr. H. B. Lane of Childersburg,
was in town last Wednesday on
business.

J. R. White and Miss Katie Mae
McIntyre spent Friday in Calera
on legal business.

W. H. Brymer, W. B. Lyons and
J. T. Hendrix, of Shelby, were in
town last Thursday.

A. P. McGhee and little son,
Clayton, visited relatives at Chil-
dersburg a few days last week.

E. R. Wallace, of Isabella, Tenn.,
spent last Friday in the city with
the family of Mrs. Kate Wallace.

Dr. Shelburn, President of How-
ard College, East Lake, preached
at the Baptist church last Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Bird and
children, of Giddings, Texas, are
visiting the family of W. G. Par-
ker.

W. M. Chandler, of Gadsden,
spent a few days in the city last
week with his son, Dr. Joel Chan-
dler.

J. T. J. Wilder, of Vincent, at-
tended a meeting of the County
Board of Education here last Fri-
day.

Mrs. Sallie Moore, accompanied
by Mrs. Sallie Byrd and Miss
Johnnie Aldridge, spent Friday in
Calera.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Latham, of
Montevallo, spent last Thursday
in the city with their daughter,
Mrs. Henry Chapman.

Miss Myra Hamner, after spend-
ing some time here with Miss Lal-
lage Longshore, returned to her
home in Camp Hill last Wednes-
day.

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Dr. and Mrs. John Chandler, of
Birmingham, have moved to this
place, and are living with Dr. and
Mrs. Joel Chandler. Dr. Chandler
graduated this year at the Birm-
ingham Medical College, and will
practice his profession here with
his brother, Dr. Joel Chandler.

T. V. Davis, of Shelby, was in
town Tuesday.

Thee Johnson, of Pelham, spent
Tuesday in town.

J. D. Smith, of Dogwood, spent
Saturday in town.

J. L. Johnson, of Maylene, was
in the city Monday.

Percy Pitts was in Vincent Mon-
day on legal business.

Cecil Nelson, of Wylam, visited
relatives here Sunday.

W. E. Finley, of Dargin, was a
visitor here Saturday.

L. L. Saxon was in Clanton Sat-
urday on legal business.

Claude Farr spent a few days
last week in Birmingham.

Joe W. Peers is remodeling his
residence on Depot street.

E. W. Chapman spent Tuesday
in Montgomery on business.

W. B. Seale, of Shelby, was in
town a short while Monday.

F. G. Koenig spent Sunday in
Birmingham with relatives.

A. C. Sewell, of Malone, was in
the city Monday on business.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. L. E.
Christian on June 27, a son.

Miss Dinnie Mae Rowe is visit-
ing relatives in Birmingham.

J. N. Wyatt, of Ebenezer, was
in the city Monday on business.

W. W. McGowen, of Anniston,
was in town Monday on business.

Edgar Holcombe, of Calera, was
among the visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. R. L. Martin, of Selma, is
the guest of Mrs. Max Lefkovite.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Page vis-
ited relatives at Bay Spring Sun-
day.

Miss Erma Elliott, of Shelby,
spent a few hours in the city Mon-
day.

J. B. Turner and family, of
Chelsea, were in the city Tuesday
shopping.

Mrs. W. H. Kidd, of Vincent,
was the guest of Mrs. Jno. S. Pitte
Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Morgan, of Tunhill,
Ga., is visiting the family of J. J.
Haynes.

Mrs. L. G. Pettyjohn, of Birm-
ingham, is visiting her brother,
Ed Liles.

Miss Tillie Touro, of Birming-
ham, is the guest of Mrs. Sam
Coplon.

Mrs. Edgar Cary, of Republic,
is visiting the family of Rev. H.
M. Millstead.

Mrs. Rosa Teague returned Sun-
day from a visit to relatives in
Birmingham.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. S. Falkner, of
Ensley, visited the family of J. B.
Pitts Sunday.

Miss Myrtle Chapman returned
Saturday from a visit to relatives
in Sylacauga.

Mrs. J. T. Barnes and children,
of Talladega, are visiting the fam-
ily of J. R. White.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Jordan, of
Bay Spring, were in the city a
short while Tuesday.

Misses Little Mae and Minnie
Bell Haynes returned Wednesday
from a visit to Lineville.

Misses Alice and Mary Nell
Longshore are visiting relatives
and friends at Camp Hill.

Mrs. Anna Vincent and Miss
B. Vincent, of Vincent, are visit-
ing the family of J. S. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace L. Walton,
of Northport, spent a few days
here this week with relatives.

Mrs. A. T. Rowe and Miss Car-
rie Rowe are spending a few days
in Birmingham with friends.

Miss Luddie Page spent a few
days at Wilton last week with
her sister, Mrs. Ed Strickland.

Mrs. F. M. Wilkins and children,
of Hargrove, visited the family of
H. W. Nelson a few days this
week.

Misses Gertrude and Carrie Du-
Bose, of Indianapolis, Ind., are in
the city visiting their uncle, Gor-
don DuBose.

Mrs. John Millstead, of Birm-
ingham, spent a few days here
this week with the family of Rev.
H. M. Millstead.

Mrs. Max Lefkovits and Mrs. R.
L. Martin spent Tuesday and
Wednesday in Bessemer, the guests
of Mrs. Sam Lefkovits.

Miss Lillian Bowden, of Dunna-
vant, and Mrs. Ruby Haset, of
Anniston, visited the family of J.
O. Dorrough a few days this week.

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NO 4,

100TH ANNIVERSARY OF HORSESHOE BEND CELEBRATED

Ideal Weather Conditions Entice Eight Thousand People To Participate In Exercises

MANY PROMINENT MEN THERE

Dadeville, Ala., July 4.—Under ideal weather conditions and with more than eight thousand people in attendance, the one hundredth anniversary of the famous battle of Horseshoe Bend was gloriously celebrated at the battlefield twelve miles from Dadeville today.

Some of the nations foremost citizens gathered today from seven States to pay tribute to the bravery of Andrew Jackson of Tennessee and to his sturdy followers who here wrested from the Creek Indians the control of the vast Mississippi Valley. No celebration in Alabama has ever surpassed the one held here in brilliancy of oratory or in real enthusiasm over the honoring of a great leader of brave and noble people.

Thousands upon thousands gathered on this historic field early in the day and long before the exercises began the vast acres were peopled by visitors from every part of the South.

On a high plateau, around which circles the Tallapoosa river, lives the famous battle ground and it is safe to say that almost every inch of it was today touched by human feet. The battle ground consists of about two hundred acres and on every part of it were little knots of people who had come to attend the celebration. The speeches were delivered from the speakers' stand and there were at least three thousand people who were in constant attendance at the exercises.

Governor O'Neal presided gracefully as master of ceremonies and after he had delivered the address of welcome he introduced the various persons who participated in the program. The Governor was assisted by Dr. Thomas M. Owen, secretary of the Horseshoe Bend Battle Anniversary Commission. After Rev. Lewis G. Studyvant, pastor of the Methodist Church of Dadeville, had delivered the invocation, the Governor proceeded with the program.

Among those who spoke were Chancellor John Allison of Nashville, Congressman J. Thomas Heflin, Governor O'Neal, Thomas H. Jeffries of Atlanta, Judge S. L. Brewer of Tuskegee, Mrs. B. F. Wilson of Nashville, Miss Maude McClure Kelly of Birmingham, John Trotwood Moore of Nashville, Colonel Felix L. Smith of Rockford, Miss Louise Grundy Lindelee of Nashville, Tenn., S. S. Broadus of Decatur and Dr. Thomas M. Owens.

One of the most interesting features of the occasion was the presentation by Judge Allison of three walking canes to three Alabama men. The canes were cut from the Hermitage in Nashville and were finished by an old Confederate soldier. The recipients were Governor O'Neal, Dr. Thomas M. Owen and E. A. O'Neal, Jr., of Florence.

Judge Allison's speech was one of the most interesting features of the day. He is an orator of the South school and kept the monster crowd entertained every moment that he was on the stand. As an historical document his address will be preserved in the Alabama department of Archives and History.

Mrs. Nora E. Miller of Dadeville was presented to the big crowd as the woman who deeded to the State the five acres of ground needed for the erection of the Horseshoe Bend monument. Mrs. Miller made a ringing speech that surprised her neighbors and friends. Mrs. Miller owns all the land contingent to the battlefield and has aided the Anniversary Commission in the work of pulling off the big celebration.

Splendid music for the celebra-

Children's Day Kingdom Church

The following is a program of Children's Day exercises to be held with the Kingdom Church on Saturday before the second Sunday in July. Everybody is cordially invited to come and bring well filled baskets and enjoy the exercises with us. Remember we begin promptly at 9:30 A. M.

Devotional Exercises...Rev. Ernest Davis.
Opening Address...Roy Walton.
The Lands Beyond the Gate...Miss Alma Mooney.
Heaven's Resting Place...Blonnie Lovett.
Recitation...Jessie Chappel.
The Bravest Battle...Ellerhee Brooks.
Before it is Too Late...Hubert Park-er.
Sermon...Rev. T. M. Nelson.
Dinner.
Prayer and Potatoes...Ethel Walton.
My Father Leads...Myrtice Beard.
Dialogue: The New S. S. Scholar...Four Girls.
Nobody Knows But Mother...Carry Chappel.
The Call of the Convention...Miss Alma Atkinson.
Where Heaven Is...Ethel Davis.
Recitation...Brit Ingram.
The Orphans...Lee Davis.
The Reward of an Earnest Effort...Three Girls.
The Blessed I seek...Lucile Ingram.
I am Timid...Joe Ingram.
Recitation...Byron Lovett.
The Beatitudes...Primary Class.
The Prayer for Jimmie...Roy Walton.

The Dying Soldier of the Rhine...Riska Crumpton.
St. Peter at the Gate...Miss Beulah Davis.
Three Little Graves...Miss Edna Flournoy.
The music will be managed by Mr. Walter Almon and Miss Ella Walton.
J. M. Hughes, Supt. S. S.

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10:15 to 10:25, Devotional exercises by C. E. Leonard. Song No. 68.
10:25 to 10:40, Temperance in S. S. by Mrs. Murphy. Song No. 170.
10:40 to 11:00, Chart work by Mr. H. Nelson. "Song of Victory."
11:00 to 12:00, Sunday school address. (Speaker to be supplied.)
12:00 to 1:30, Dinner.
1:30 to 1:45, Song service.
1:45 to 2:15, Address by Rev. Cook. Song, "Holy, Holy, Holy."
2:15 to 2:30, General discussion.
2:30 to 2:45, Spiritual Culture in S. S. by Bro. Culbertson.
2:45 to 3:00, Business meeting.
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Crops Are Looking Fine Since Rain

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J. D. Paris, District President.
tion was furnished by the band from the Alabama Boys Industrial School at East Lake. In the afternoon a sham battle between the military companies of Alexander City and Opelika was held under the direction of Adjutant General Joseph B. Scully.

Urging the erection of a great monument on the battlefield of Horseshoe Bend to commemorate the memory of Andrew Jackson and his brave followers who were dealt a final and crushing blow to the Creek Indians and allied tribes. Congressman Heflin declared that Jackson and his men bequeathed to Alabamians the priceless heritage of civil and religious liberty.

"We owe it to the memory of these brave men to perpetuate their deeds of valor and to keep alive in the minds and hearts of the living their heroic service to their country," said Mr. Heflin.

CORN IS HURT BY LONG DROUTH

Boll Weevil Damaging Cotton—Farmers Are Aiding In Fight On Pest

SAYS COMMISSIONER KOLB

Montgomery, Ala., July 4.—Corn has been damaged by drouth and cotton has been injured by the boll weevil, but Alabama farmers are using every resource at their command to combat their foes. This in effect is the weekly report of R. F. Kolb, State Commissioner of Agriculture, made public this afternoon.

Commissioner Kolb said: "The drouth has been rather general and the corn crop has been as a consequence seriously and affected, and the one stubborn and pervasive foe to be met and grappled with is the boll weevil." He declared that Alabama farmers are co-operating with the Department of Agriculture in its efforts to prevent serious damage from boll weevils and that good results could be seen already.

Referring to damage of corn by drouth, Commissioner Kolb said: "This crop will be far short of the expectations entertained a few weeks ago and had they received the rains then rationally hoped for our corn yield would have been most satisfactory. While the dry spell has prevailed with more or less severity throughout the State, yet sections in certain portions have been visited by frequent showers and from these sections especially good reports as to corn have been received."

Boll weevils are gradually entering new territory in Alabama and the fight between them and farmers in this State has already begun, if reports received from the department's demonstrators and collaborators be correct.

"The one stubborn and pervasive foe to be met and grappled with is the boll weevil," said Commissioner Kolb. "Since our report a week ago its presence has been noted in several new counties and we have every evidence that the invasion is gradually but surely extending. It is animating to feel that the work of destruction being wrought by this pest is not being done without arousing its victims to every resource of resistance and prevention."

"We are constantly receiving letters from all sections of the weevil-infested zone upon lines of discovery and suggestion. This department has not officially endorsed any of the many remedies that have been proposed for fighting the weevil. It adheres to its original advice of picking and destroying the insects whenever and wherever found. At the same time we are not insensible to the fact that it is possible some better method than this may possibly exist and that it may hereafter be discovered." Commissioner Kolb included in the report two formulas made by Dr. McCants of Demopolis but emphasized that they bore no official endorsement from the Department of Agriculture.

Ice Cream Supper At Creswell, July 10

There will be an ice cream supper at Creswell school house on Friday, July 10, beginning at 7:30 o'clock. The proceeds will be used for the benefit of the Providence Church. Everybody invited to come.

A Member.

State Examination For The Teachers

The next State Examination for the teachers of Shelby County will be held at Columbiana, Ala., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1914.

All applicants must be present at 10 o'clock Monday morning. I will furnish paper, but applicants must furnish pen and ink.
S. P. Williamson, Co. Supt. Education.

MRS. R. J. MILES ENTERTAINED CLUB

Last Friday Afternoon In Honor Of Her Sister, Miss Lott, Of Columbus, Georgia

AN INTERESTING PROGRAMME

The Home Improvement Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. R. J. Miles on Friday afternoon June 26, in honor of her sister, Miss Lott.

The guests were received by Mesdames Miles and Harper on the spacious lawn where they were served with ice tea and sandwiches. After a few minutes of pleasant repartee the guests repaired to the parlor where a most interesting and instructive program on the subject of "Waste" was given. The papers read by Mesdames Milner, Saxon and Thomas deserve special mention as they were both instructive and original. Such papers bespeak the interest and purpose of the Club. After a short business meeting music was rendered by Mrs. Taylor.

Besides the guests of honor and a large representation of the Club members Mesdames Acuff and John Miles and Miss Florence Harper were visitors. Last but not least a delightful ice course was served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Milner on Friday evening, July 17, instead of July 10, where an open meeting will be given to entertain the husbands of the club members. A most interesting programme is being carefully prepared for the special benefit of the visitors, which will consist in part of how to "Pickle, preserve and put in cold storage any husband." A musical program, under the direction of Mrs. Pitts, will be given. A string band will be one of the interesting features of the evening, besides recitations and other amusements.
Secretary.

RECORD PRICE IS PAID IN TEXAS FOR FIRST BALE

Houston, Tex., July 4.—The first bale of 1914 cotton in the United States weighing 392 pounds sold on the Houston Cotton exchange today for \$500, or \$1.27 1/2 per pound. It classed as strict low middling spotted. It came from Lyford, Texas.

Wrights School House.

W. A. Marcus and wife of Dargin visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

B. R. Riley of Alabama City is visiting relatives here.

H. N. Williams of Nelson spent Saturday night and Sunday here.

A. S. Duncan of Strudwick visited home folks here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Porter of Birmingham is visiting relatives here.

T. W. Porter went to Birmingham last Friday.

Several of our people went to Kewahatchie Saturday.

Walter Almon and Grady Duncan attended the Singing at Fournile Sunday.

George Beard went to Shelby one day last week.

Mrs. T. M. Duncan visited relatives at Chappel Saturday.

Bill Brown.

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CONTRACT LET FOR COUNTY HIGHWAY

From Columbiana To Dargin, And To Complete The Highways From Vincent To

ST. CLAIR AND CHILTON LINES

At a meeting of the Board of Revenue here Monday, Dunn and Lalland Bros., of Birmingham, were awarded the contract to build the county highway from Columbiana to Dargin, and also to complete the highways from Vincent to the St. Clair line, and from Montevallo to the Bibb county line, and from Calera to the Chilton line, and from the Cahaba Valley road to the Jefferson county line.

Work on the above highways will begin at once.

Mrs. J. R. White Entertains Friends

Mrs. J. R. White entertained quite a number of her friends on last Wednesday afternoon from five to seven o'clock in honor of her guest, Mrs. J. T. Barnes, of Talladega. Refreshments were served, which added much to the pleasure of the afternoon.

Richard Elliott Seriously Cut

Richard Elliott, son of J. B. Elliott of this place, was seriously cut at Brighton last Saturday afternoon by W. A. Chambliss. The trouble, we understand, was about a bird dog. As we go to press Wednesday morning we learn that Er. Elliott's condition is improved, and that he has a chance for recovery.

Farmers' Agents Hold A Meeting

Birmingham, Ala., July 6.—At the call of State Agent J. T. Kennedy, upwards of 150 financial agents of the Farmers' Union, representing nearly every county in the State, were in session here today. The handling of the crops of the members of the union this year was discussed. Seed and fertilizer for next year were also considered.

A Correction.

There appears on the editorial page this week an editorial in regard to what has been paid out on the county highway, which should be \$90,000 instead of \$190,000, leaving a balance of \$110,000 yet to be paid out on the highway, instead of \$190,000.

Singing At Mt. Fra.

There will be a singing at Mt. Fra church next Sunday conducted by J. M. Dye. Preaching at 11 o'clock by the pastor. Everybody invited to come and bring your song books and well filled baskets. Singing will begin at 9 o'clock Sunday morning.

THREE ARE KILLED IN BIRMINGHAM

Birmingham, Ala., July 6.—More blood was spilled in Birmingham this afternoon, and for a couple of hours the police were kept busy. An unidentified white man known as "Country" was shot and killed at 3:30 o'clock at the home of William Hall on Fifth Avenue, near Twenty-third Street. Hall was not in the house when the officers arrived on the scene, but two women were taken in charge.

Two hours after this killing, Will Latham, of East Lake, a news butcher on the Southern Railway, called Mrs. Julia Anderson of a Gate City car near the Terminal Station and shot her twice, fatally wounding her. Officers chased him when he shot himself fatally under the heart.

Notice.

The delegates who come by rail to the Shelby Count Farmers' Union to be held at Spring Creek on July 15th, 16th and 17th, 1914, will be met at Calera on July 14th and 15th.

A. A. Herndon, Sec'y.

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HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY FOR 1914-15 IS NOW COMPLETE

Boll Weevil In Shelby County

Geo. L. Armstrong, who lives five miles west of this place, reports that he has found many boll weevils in his cotton, and that they are doing considerable damage.

Talladega Deputy Kills W. D. Hays

Talladega, Ala., July 4.—As a result of trouble which began over the seizure of a trunk of whiskey unloaded at St. Yves station on the A. B. & A. railroad Friday night at 10:30 o'clock, W. D. Hays a well known farmer was shot and killed by Deputy Sheriff Lon Embry. Mr. Embry was present when the trunk of whiskey was unloaded and when he seized it, it is said that Hays demanded its return to him. One word led to another and the shooting followed. Embry claims he shot in self defense.

Wilder's Hill.

The Fourth was certainly lively in our section.

T. P. Ray and family spent Saturday night near East Saginaw.

Roy Walton made a business trip to Birmingham Saturday.

Ernest Bradley spent Saturday night on Fournile.

Oscar McGowen spent Monday in Columbiana.

Robert Ray spent a short while at Chelsea last Thursday.

R. L. Bradley of Fournile was in our community last Thursday.

Mrs. O. E. McGowen returned Monday from a visit to Birmingham.

Martin Vick passed through our community one day last week.

I. C. Perryman and family spent Saturday and Sunday near Leeds.

I. A. J. Nolen went to Fournile one day last week.

John Tucker passed through our midst one day last week.

There will be a singing at this place next Sunday afternoon, beginning at 2:30. Everybody invited to come.

A. A. Ray spent Saturday near Dearhurst.

Ernest Blackerby spent a short while in Chelsea Thursday.

The crops in this community are looking fairly well, and everybody is up with their work.

Sunday School is progressing nicely. Why not all come and take a part in the work? Now lets all come out every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock and do all we can to build up the school, and do all we can for the upbuilding of the cause and Kingdom.

Red Bird.

Lester's Chappel

Crops are needing rain very badly in our community.

Willis Walton of Wilders Hill spent Friday night in our midst.

A. M. Walton of Fournile was in our community Saturday.

L. W. Watson paid Columbiana a visit Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roper spent the 4th with relatives in Jemison.

R. A. Simmons and S. L. Bradley were in Columbiana one day last week.

Roy Walton of the Kingdom spent Saturday night with L. W. Watson and family.

Spurgeon Bradley went to Dearhurst Saturday.

Some of our people attended the singing convention at Pleasant Valley Sunday.

J. McCullers and Abe Walton made a business trip to Columbiana Saturday.

Burk Wingard spent Saturday night with home folks on Fournile.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lester of Columbiana spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lester.

Don't forget to attend Sunday School next Sunday. School starts at 10 o'clock. Come and be with us.

J. W. McCullers and wife visited relatives at Vincent Sunday.

Herbert Simmons and Spurgeon Bradley made a flying trip to Columbiana Monday.

Rancherson and Peavine.

Endorsed By High School Commission—Prof. L. Leftwich Retained As Principal

PROF. BIBB 1ST. ASSISTANT

Much to the delight of the citizens of Columbiana and Shelby County Prof. Leftwich has been retained as principal of the High School. His unswerving energy and untiring efforts to succeed has proved to the people that he is a good school man. His genial disposition and noble character binds him closely to the hearts of his faithful pupils and patrons.

Prof. J. S. Bibb of Elmore, Ala., a University man, has been elected as first assistant.

Mr. Bibb comes well recommended as a strong school man, and his three years of study and training in the University of Alabama fully prepares him for high school work. He is also an experienced teacher having taught several years prior to his University course.

Prof. Bibb will have charge of the Science, History, Manual training and Athletics.

Miss Lillie Luther, of Albertville, Ala., a reputable teacher, having taught in different sections of the State, and a holder of a life certificate, will teach English, a portion of the Mathematics and will direct the Domestic Science department.

Miss Luther is recommended as a woman of strong personality and a good disciplinarian.

Miss Virgin Carmichael, of Sunny South, Ala., will be teacher of the seventh grade and will also have charge of the Expression class.

Miss Carmichael comes highly recommended from different educators and reputable men of the State, and we bespeak for her as well as the other members of the faculty a splendid career in the Shelby County High School.

Mrs. Teague will again have charge of the music department and her re-election from year to year is evidence of her ability as a music teacher.

We think we have a faculty equal, if not superior, to any High School in the State, and we solicit the co operation of the citizenship of Columbiana and of Shelby County to join in making this the best year in the history of the High School.

It is hoped that every parent who reads this article and who is arranging to send their children off from home to school will send them to the Shelby County High School.

Auburn News.

Auburn, Alabama, July 6.—The new "AUBURN" catalogue, which is being mailed out to the high school graduates is well illustrated and gives full information concerning the Alabama Polytechnic Institute. There are cuts of the different buildings and views of the campus, shops and laboratories.

Among the notable improvements has been the erection of the wireless telegraph station and the establishment of a course in wireless telegraphy in the department of electrical engineering. Another notable change has been the advance to fourteen units, or four years of high school work, as the requirement for admission to the freshman class in the regular degree courses.

The enrollment of the past session was 820, from sixteen states and five foreign countries. In the college of engineering there were 401 students; college of agriculture 325; in Veterinary Medicine 69; Pharmacy 68; Architecture 38. President Thach states that the spirit of the work for the past year was the best in the history of the Polytechnic Institute.

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COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative:

H. C. HURST.

For Sheriff:

W. B. SEALE.

The way to a man's heart is through his pocket book.

President Wilson continues to appoint negroes to office.

The new gin at this place will be ready for operation by the last of August.

If you have any kind of produce to sell bring it to Columbiana and get the highest market price.

Remember the fair to be held at Montevallo this fall, and don't fail to send some kind of an exhibit.

The condition of the cotton crop in Alabama is estimated by the government report at 88, which is the best of all the cotton states.

The way we see it, Columbiana needs a night marshal instead of a day marshal, and we think the city council would make no mistake to make the change.

Peace in Mexico has not been declared yet, and there is no telling what will happen between the United States and Mexico before the end comes.

When the Pope hooked up in business with the Democratic party the devil leaned up against an asbestos telegraph pole and laughed.—Yellow Jacket.

State Supt. of Education, W. F. Feagin, states in a circular letter sent out to the County Superintendents that all teachers must attend the County Institutes.

The bridges on the public road between here and Shelby are in bad condition, and we would suggest that the Board of Revenue have these bridges repaired at once for the traveling public.

Talk is cheap, but it takes money to put in water works. We need a water works system in Columbiana, but the question naturally arises, how are we going to install water works without money.

The public school building needs a general repairing and a new roof. Why delay this matter any longer. If the repairs are not made and a new roof put on, we will have to build a new house in a few years.

We understand that already \$190,000 has been paid out to the contractors on the county highway between Montevallo and Vincent, and that about 12 miles of the road has been graded, leaving a balance of \$190,000 appropriated to complete the work.

The Roanoke Leader puts forth the following pointed remark: "Pay for your paper in advance so you will be in position to 'cuss' it if you don't like it. Remember it comes with poor grace for a fellow who is 'riding' a newspaper to become a kicker."—Mountain Home. Correct you are, brother.

Beef cattle in this county are scarce, and the price of beef is still advancing. We need several large stock farms in the county to supply the demand. There is several thousand acres of land lying idle that could be converted into stock farms, which we believe, would be a paying investment to the right man.

Mass Convention, Calera, July 11th.

By direction of the Republican State Executive Committee of Alabama, a Mass Convention of all qualified voters of Shelby County, Alabama, who believe there should be a change in the present political conditions of this State, and who are willing to co-operate with and affiliate with the Republican Party, are hereby called to assemble at Calera, at one o'clock p. m., on Saturday, July 11th, 1914, for the purpose of electing delegates

to the Republican State Convention to be held at Birmingham, July 22nd, and to effect an organization of the Republican Party in Shelby County, and to transact any other party business that may properly come before the meeting.

P. M. LONG,

Chairman of Republican State Executive Committee of Alabama.
 C. B. KENNAMER
 Secretary.

Less Whiskey And More Beer

Washington, July 3.—Americans drank less whiskey during the past 12 months than they did the year before, but they consumed more beer and smoked a great many more cigarettes.

Reports to the internal revenue commissioner made public today showed that receipts for the fiscal year just closed totaled \$864,069 less than for the previous year, and most of this decline was due to the marked falling off in taxes collected on distilled spirits. Detailed statements for the month of June are not yet available, but in the first 11 months of the fiscal year there was decrease of \$3,734,857 in the income from the manufacture and sale of distilled liquor, due in part to reduction in the number of licenses. Estimates on the June receipts indicated the total decline in distilled liquor tax for 12 months will probably be \$4,250,000.

Receipts from tobacco taxes showed an approximate increase over last year of \$2,800,000. This gain is due almost entirely to a phenomenal increase in the cigarette trade. The gain in receipts from fermented liquor, beer, ale and the like was about \$860,000.

Facts About Farm Life.

In discussing the farm problems we have to get down to rock-bottom truths. Mr. Green Clay, of Madison county, Ky., in an article in the Breeders' Gazette, gets to the facts when he says that "we are going to increase production. We are going to produce better food. We are doing it every year. It is inevitable, and no amount of depressing influences will stop the advance."

The question, says he, that presents itself to the business mind on the farm is this: "Will we sell two bushels of wheat for 50c a bushel where now we sell one bushel for 50c? Will two pounds of meat on foot bring but 4c when our one pound sells for 8c?"

The answer to these questions, he says, depends upon the future action of the farmer. Just so soon as the farmers of the United States co-operate in the selling and marketing of their products, speculation and gambling of all kinds with the food we eat will cease. Just then and not until then will there be stability and fairness for producer and consumer.

That is true and it is also true that unless the farmer can get more for two bushels of wheat than one he will produce one, or for two pounds of meat than one he will produce one.

But the price is the price, measured in exchange value. The farmer does not want money so much as he wants the good things of life, the necessary things of life, the comforts of life, and if he can get twice as much of these for two pounds of meat as he could get for one, he is going to raise the two pounds, not otherwise.—Home and Farm.

Fifty Years Sentence For Stealing 50 Cents

Fifty years for stealing 50 cents. That is the sentence that a Hale County jury imposed on Frank Williams, a negro, who in 1894 robbed another negro of a half a dollar. After serving more than 20 years of the fifty-year sentence, Williams has been paroled by Gov. O'Neal, the Governor extending clemency to the negro yesterday afternoon.

It was not the amount stolen, but the method used in obtaining the 50 cents that brought about Frank Williams' undoing. He was charged with highway robbery and although his misdeeds netted him only the paltry sum mentioned, he was sentenced to serve 50 years in the State penitentiary.

Williams has made a splendid record as a convict. He is now more than 60 years old, broken in health and suffering with wounds received while serving the state.

He has served 18 years as a trusty. Judge Edward de Graffenreid of the Supreme Court, and other prominent Hale County citizens, recommended that the negro be paroled.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Chambers Sheriff To Be Tried On July 22

Montgomery, July 2.—Impeachment proceeding against Sheriff John W. Lane of Chambers county, will begin in the Supreme court on July 22, according to an announcement of the court today. Notice of the articles of impeachment were served on Sheriff Lane by Grady Noble, who returned to Montgomery this morning from Chambers County.

Sheriff Lane is charged with corruption in office and with the commission of offenses involving moral turpitude. The proceedings have been brought by Attorney General Brickell at the request of the governor, who was informed of Sheriff Lane's conduct in office by a delegation from Chambers county.

Program

Shelby County Farmers Union and Shelby County Farmers Institute, to be held in conjunction at Spring Creek school house, three miles east of Montevallo, July 15, 16 and 17, 1914.

Wednesday, July 15.

10:30 A. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.
 11:00. "What the Farmer's Union stands for"—A. J. Glen, Ashland, Ala.
 Noon.

1:30 P. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.
 2:00. "Soil Building"—L. R. Neel, editor Southern Agriculturist, Nashville, Tenn.

3:00. "My experience with clovers"—R. B. Lambert, clover expert, Darlington, Ala.
 4:00. Executive session.

Thursday, July 16th.

9:45 A. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.
 9:50. "Legumes with and after oats"—General discussion, led by C. E. Leonard, Pelham, Ala.

10:30. "Community Betterment"—W. H. Conway, Jemison, Ala.
 11:00. "Where the Farmer's Union has failed"—O. P. Ford, McFall, Ala.
 Noon.

1:30 P. M. Music, by Montevallo Orchestra.
 2:00. "Stock Raising"—L. R. Neel, Nashville, Tenn., and R. E. Lambert, Darlington, Ala.

3:00. "Home Conveniences and Health"—Miss Helen Harlin, county nurse of Chilton county, Clanton, Ala.
 4:00. Executive session.

Friday, July 17.

9:00 A. M. Executive Session—Farmer's County Union.

The public is cordially invited to attend July 15th and 16th.
 J. E. Yeager.
 S. L. Chesnut.
 Program Com.

A Greater Alabama.

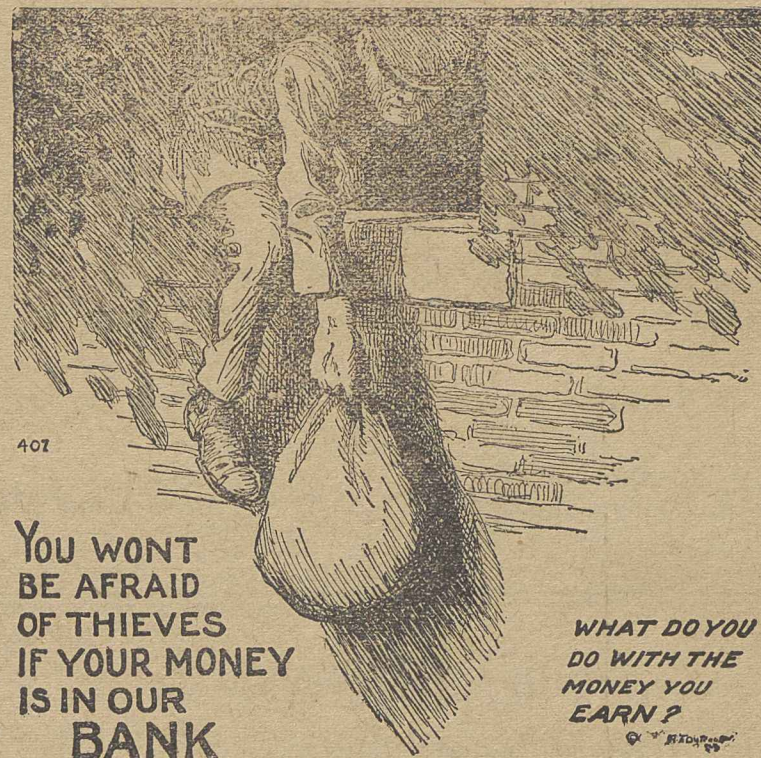
When Nature in her bounty distributed her myterial resources to the lands of this earth, she gave more than an equal share to the territory confined within the boundaries of the State of Alabama. Of all the States in the Southland Alabama is the most blest in natural resources. In the northern section of the State we find lying side by side great mines of iron, coal, cement, lime, marble, slate and granite. In the central part of the State, in the great cotton belt which at present promises the greatest production in its history. Further south we find great forests of timber from which turpentine rosin and tar are extracted in profuse quantities. On the southern coast are great fisheries that have a nationwide reputation. For transportation there are four great rivers that extend throughout the entire state and find their outlets in Mobile Harbor, one of the greatest natural harbors on the coast. And then there is water-power. There has just been completed in this State the greatest electrical plant founded on water power in the South, and which is surpassed by very few plants in America. This enormous generating plant is located in the centre of the State and can supply at small cost endless numbers of industries with power.

And yet, as paradoxical as it may seem, with resources in such profusion, Alabama does not occupy the position in the ranks of the States of the Union as is due her. Other States with one-tenth of her resources are making more progressive strides. Lack of industries and lack of improved transportation facilities are the two prime factors that are retarding her growth. The obstacles can be overcome and they should be remedied at once. Our Congressmen at Washington should be impressed with the fact that upon the improvements of the rivers of Alabama rests the progressive future of the State. Congress, which has been so liberal in expending money for the improvement of eastern waterways, should be unceasingly approached with bills for appropriations for Alabama waterways. Then and not until then could the Congressmen return to their State and feel that they have performed their duty towards their constituents. With the rivers of Alabama navigable three-fourths of Alabama would be connected by direct water routes to the Gulf of Mexico, Atlantic Ocean, through the Panama Canal to the Pacific Ocean or in other words, the entire world.

With navigable waterways industries would naturally be attracted to Alabama; for mills located here at the base of production and furnished with electrical power at a minimum cost could sell their products in the torrid and south temperate zones and the Pacific at a great deal less than the New England manufacturer who must transport the staple to his mill some fifteen hundred or two thousand mile distant and then return it the same distance to reach the Gulf of Mexico. In short, the New Englander would find Alabama more attractive for his factory to our more economic territory.

In Alabama there should be numerous industries of every kind, or at least every kind that uses cotton or minerals as raw materials. Alabama's domestic and calicos should be as well established in China, Japan and Australia as our raw staple is now known there.

Wherever there's a will there's a way and with a little more progressiveness on the part of our Congressmen a new and greater Alabama will supplant the great but crude Alabama of today.—Nat W. Gold in Alabama Outlook.



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Shelby County Musical Convention

The annual session of the Shelby County Musical Convention will be held at Liberty church, Chelsea, Ala., on the fourth Sunday in July. A full attendance is expected as the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. Come prepared to enjoy the occasion.

John M. Dye, President.
 Edgar Minor, Secretary.

Singing School.

There will be a singing school taught at Lesters Chapel church by Prof. Jno. M. Dye, beginning July 27 1914. For further information concerning tuition and board write

W. E. Lester,
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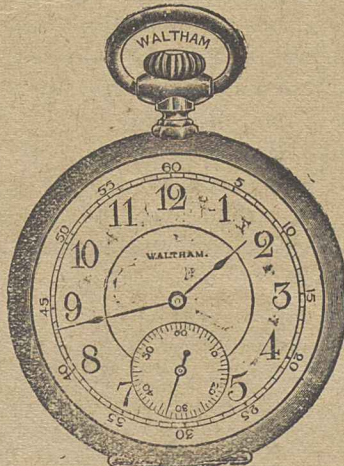


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By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

The Northeast Fourth of the Southeast Fourth, Section 15, Township 19, Range 2 East, less eight acres in the Northeast corner of Northeast Fourth of Southeast Fourth, all in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of W. D. Bailey to satisfy said F. F. in my hands in favor of International Harvester Company of America.

This 30th day of June, 1914.

J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

For Sale!

28 acres land, 1 1/4 miles from court house on Columbiana and Wilsonville road, one mile from County High School; four room dwelling, good well free stone water, good pasture with lasting spring of water. For further information, call on or write, J. H. Stone, Columbiana, Ala.

Notice of Final Settlement.

The State of Alabama, Shelby Co. Probate Court.
Estate of Will Clelland.
This day came R. M. L. Burt, administrator of the estate of Will Clelland, and filed his account, vouchers, evidence and statement for a final settlement of the same.

It is ordered that the 13th day of July, 1914, be appointed a day for making such settlement at which time all parties in interest can appear and contest the same if they think proper.

A. P. Longshore,
Judge of Probate.

MARSHALL SHERIFF RESIGNS

Gadsden, July 1—Sheriff Sparks of Marshall county has resigned his office, the resignation becoming effective today. John Lewis will probably succeed him. Sparks came into prominence when a charge of violating the "white slave" act was prosecuted against him by federal authorities. He was acquitted in the trial here.

Veteran's Widow May Get Funeral Expenses

Montgomery, Ala., July 2—If the widow of an Alabama Confederate pensioner dies the pension which she is entitled to during her lifetime may be used in paying funeral and other expenses. This was the Supreme Court's ruling yesterday afternoon, when it refused to reverse the judgment of the City Court of Montgomery.

John Purifoy, State Treasurer, refused to pay a pension because it was endorsed after a widow's death. Charles B. Teasley, Judge of Probate of Montgomery County requested a writ of mandamus and won. Treasurer Purifoy appealed. Only one pension can be collected after the widow's death, and the same provisions are operative as in the case of a confederate soldier.

Pointed Paragraphs

From the Chicago News.

It's a lonely day in a yellow dog's life if nobody hands him a kick.

And some women wear shoes too small because the right size is too large.

Faith, hope and charity belong to the man who lends his new umbrella to a friend.

PROGRAM TEACHERS INSTITUTE

Which Will be Held Here, Commencing Monday Afternoon, August 10th, 1914

WILL BE IN SESSION 5 DAYS

The following program will be rendered at the teachers institute, which begins at the High School Auditorium on Monday afternoon, August 10th.

MONDAY AFTERNOON
1:30. Opening Exercises. Music and Devotional.
1:45. Announcement by the superintendent of special plans for the week, such as department meetings, evening sessions, appointment of committees, ushers, reporter, secretary, pianist, etc. The superintendent should appoint an official timekeeper with call bell, for service during the institute.

2:00. Introduction of Instructors.
2:15. The school as a community center; what it means and how to make it so.

2:40. Boy's Clubs: Their place and Purpose in the Community, and Suggestions for Organizing them.

3:20. Department Meetings:
(a) Vocational work for boys.
(b) Vocational work for girls.

MONDAY EVENING.
8:00. Annual Institute Social.

TUESDAY FORENOON.
8:40. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle Study. Colgrove's "The Teacher and the School."
9:40. Department meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Reading in primary grades.
Grammar School Section: Reading in grammar grades.

10:20. Recess.
10:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Spelling in primary grades.
Grammar School Section: Spelling in grammar grades.

11:20. Better Health Conditions in the Community.
12:05. Recess.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON
2:00. Music, announcements, etc.

2:15. Men's Clubs: Their Function in the Community and How to Organize them.

3:00. Department Meeting:
(a) Vocational Work for Boys.
(b) Vocational Work for Girls.

TUESDAY EVENING
7:00. Twilight Story Hour.

WEDNESDAY FORENOON.
8:30. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle Study: Colgrove's "The Teacher and the School."
9:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Model Reading Lesson, with children
Grammar School Section: Model Reading Lesson, using teachers as pupils.

10:20. Recess.
10:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Language in Primary Grades
Grammar School Section: Language in Grammar Grades.

11:20. Better Economic Conditions in the Community.
12:05. Recess.

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON
2:00. Music, etc.

2:15. School Improvement Work in Shelby County.

3:00. Department Meeting:
(a) Vocational Work for Boys.
(b) Vocational Work for Girls.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.
8:00. Educational Address:

THURSDAY FORENOON
8:40. Opening Exercises.

9:00. Reading Circle:
Organization and plans for work in the county for the coming year.

9:40. Department Meeting:
English:
Elementary Section: Written work in primary grades.
Grammar School Section: Written work in grammar grades.

10:20. Recess.
10:40. Department Meeting:
English:

Elementary Section: Model Language Lesson.
Grammar School Section: Model Language Lesson.

11:20. Better Social Conditions in the Community.
12:05. Recess.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON
2:00. Music, etc.

2:15. Girls' Clubs. Their Organization and Work in the School and in the Community.

3:00. Department Meeting:
(a) Vocational Work for Boys
(b) Vocational Work for Girls.

FRIDAY FORENOON.
8:30. Opening Exercises.

8:40. Women's Clubs: Their Function in the Community.
9:20. Open period.

10:20. Recess.
10:30. Better Moral Conditions in the Community.

11:00. Superintendent's Round Table
11:40. Two-minute closing addresses—Instructors.

11:45. Business session.

36,960,000 ACRES IN FLEECE STAPLE

Government Says Condition of Cotton Crop Now Is 79 Per Cent

DECREASE OVER LAST YEAR

Washington, July 1—The crop reporting board department of agriculture today estimated that the area of cotton in cultivation this year in the United States is about 36,960,000 acres as compared with 37,478,000 acres, the revised estimate of acreage in cultivation a year ago being a decrease of 498,000 acres, of 1.3 per cent.

The condition of the growing crop on June 27 was 79.0 per cent of a normal condition, as compared with 74.3 on May 25, 1914; 81.8 on June 25, 1913; and 80.7, the average condition for the past ten years on June 25.

States	Area in Estimate	Condition.
Virginia	46,000	86
N. Carolina	1,580,000	82
S. Carolina	2,826,000	81
Georgia	5,539,000	83
Florida	194,000	86
Alabama	3,912,000	88
Mississippi	3,148,000	81
Louisiana	1,389,000	81
Texas	12,052,000	74
Arkansas	2,527,000	80
Tennessee	866,000	79
Missouri	124,000	79
Oklahoma	2,854,000	79

1,200 SALOONS CLOSE DOORS

Charleston, W. Va., July 1—1,200 saloons in 75 cities and towns, together with 12 breweries and one distillery, closed their doors at midnight Tuesday when the Yost constitutional prohibition law went into effect in this state. It is one of the most drastic prohibition measures ever placed on the Statute books.

Preacher's School Closes At Pelham

Pelham Heights, Ala., July 2—The Alabama Baptist Preachers School closed here Tuesday after a continuous session of twenty-one days.

Prominent theological men lectured to the preachers during the time. The school was attended by nearly 100 Baptist preachers. There were a large number of Sunday schools, Women's Missionary Society and B. Y. P. U's in attendance.

The meeting was a success in every particular, and especially the hotel accommodations were splendid and reasonable.

O'Neal Roasted For Pardoning Convict

Decatur, Ala., July 1.—The Morgan county law and equity court grand jury which has just adjourned, roasted Governor Emmet O'Neal in its report to Judge Thos. W. Wert. It charges the governor with pardoning a number of men who were convicted in this county for selling whiskey. A number of true bills were found, the most of them being against alleged violators of the state prohibition laws.

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AFTER 5 YEARS OF BATTE ERVIN POPE LOSES COURT FIGHT

Montgomery, Ala., July 1—Ervin Pope, Calhoun County negro, has lost his fifth fight against a death sentence imposed by the Aniston City Court for the murder of James McClurkin. The Supreme Court yesterday affirmed the recent sentence and fixed August 21 as the day for Pope's execution.

Pope's case has attracted attention in every section of the Southern group of States. Five times he faced a jury in the Calhoun County court and five times he was condemned. Luck was with him four times; he was able to obtain reversals in the Supreme Court because of errors of the trial judge, Edward DeGraffenreid, Associate Justice, wrote the opinion which marked Pope's arrival at Waterloo. He found no errors sufficient for reversal and in this every member of the Supreme Court concurred.

After an application for rehearing has been decided, Pope's attorneys will ask Governor O'Neal to commute the sentence to life imprisonment. They will contend that public opinion is against him and that he has not had a fair trial.

Pope's case has been sustained in court of technicalities and it is this feature that has caused comment in other States. Evidence that he killed McClurkin was circumstantial, but was conclusive enough to cause five juries to declare him guilty.

Beauty may be only skin deep, but it will bunco a man out of his seat in a crowded car every time.

PRESIDENT WILSON WILL NOT OUST NEGROES

Washington, June 29.—President Wilson has promised to fill all positions under the federal government now held by negroes with other negroes in case of changes. He told this today to Representative Smith of Maryland, who called to urge the appointment of a white man as recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia.

President Wilson told Mr. Smith that soon after his inauguration a delegation of negroes urged him to adopt that plan and he promised to do so.

Shrieff's Sale.

By virtue of a F. F. issued from the City Court of Birmingham, Jefferson County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday, the 27th day of July, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 7.50 chains south of no corner of section 15, township 22, range 1 west, and run west forty chains, thence south 12 1/2 chains thence east forty chains, and thence north 12 1/2 chains to the point of beginning, containing 50 acres; Section 12, Township 22, Range 1 west, also lot in Section 7, Township 22, Range 1 west, beginning at a point 12.29 chains south of no corner of said section 7 and running thence south 59 1/4 degrees, east 1 chain and 38 links, thence north thirty degrees, east 56 links, and thence north 45 1/2 degrees, west 3 chains to the range line, and thence south 64 links to point of beginning, Section 7, Township 22, Range 1 west, all in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of Samuel Will John, to satisfy said F. F. in my hands in favor of W. J. Lloyd.

This 18th day of June, 1914.

6-15-31 J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Alabama, Shelby County, on Monday, the 27th day of July, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Commencing at center of Southeast fourth of northwest fourth at the southeast corner of a ten acre tract of land belonging to A. P. Longshore, thence south 60 feet, thence northeast along Shelby Springs dirt road 482 feet, thence west 550 feet to point of beginning, section 34, township 21, range 1 west, containing five acres more or less; also one house and lot No. 35, map of Columbiana, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of Luther Starrett, to satisfy said F. F. in my hands in favor of the Judge Company.

This 16th day of June, 1914.

6-15-31 J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

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"	.75 "	"	.39
"	.35 "	"	.19

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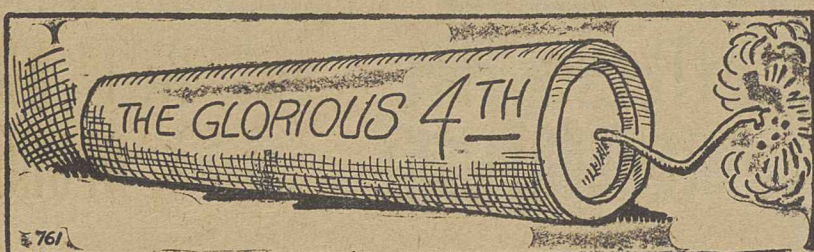
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OUR WEEKLY RECIPE

CHEESE AND JELLY SALAD. Wash and drain some crisp white lettuce and lay on a very cold dish. Make some balls of cream cheese, mixed with a little cream and salt and make a depression like a miniature well on top of each; into this put any rich red jelly, Bar la Duc or a little currant jam; put French dressing on the lettuce in generous quantities and on top arrange the little cream balls.

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Libby's Preserves, Apple Jelly, Heinz India Relish, Tomato Catsup, Pickles of all kinds, Olives, French Mustard, Durkes Salad Dressing, Chilli Sauce, Peanut Butter, Belle and Dime brand Milk, Wessen Cooking Oil, Puffed Rice, Rolled Oats, Corn Flakes, Lemon Cling Peaches, Cream Cheese.

John S. Pitts,

Columbianana, Alabama.

H. W. Parker, of beat 8, was in the city Monday.

D. A. Cater, of Harpersville, was in the city Wednesday.

Miss Annie Mae Vest, of Wilton, is the guest of Mrs. W. P. Thomas.

Miss Vinn Pitts spent Saturday and Sunday in Birmingham with relatives. Miss Bessie Niven, of Wilsonville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Niven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mason spent Wednesday at Sycamore with their daughter, Mrs. W. J. Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Dyke and Miss Edith DuBose, of Birmingham, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city, the guests of Gordon DuBose.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ritchie at their home in Woodlawn on July 3, a daughter. They have named their little daughter Rosser Christian.

Mrs. J. M. Jones, Jr., and children, of East Lake, are visiting the family of W. L. Farley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith spent Saturday and Sunday at Saginaw with their daughter, Mrs. Edward Coe.

The Board of Revenue was in session a short while Monday, and adjourned to meet again next Monday.

Mrs. G. C. Scott and daughter, Dean, of Greenville, spent a few days in the city this week with Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Lightcap.

E. T. Hunter spent Sunday and Monday in Birmingham with his wife, who is at the South Highland Infirmary, and reports that she is no better.

Rev. J. A. Bryan, of Birmingham, is conducting a series of meetings at the Presbyterian church this week. All are cordially invited to attend these services.

A. A. Logan, of beat 10, was in town Tuesday.

N. J. Acker, of Gurnee, was in the city Tuesday.

W. B. Seale, of Shelby, spent a few hours here Tuesday.

Miss Erma Elliott, of Shelby, visited relatives here Tuesday.

P. O. Luck was in Calera Tuesday on legal business.

There was quite a number of visitors in town Monday.

Mrs. A. P. Longshore visited friends in Calera Tuesday.

Mrs. H. M. Judge and children spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

W. P. Bowdon, of Saginaw, was in town Monday on business.

W. H. Shrader has a force of hands at work on his new gin.

Frank Robertson, of near Wilsonville, was in town Monday.

W. J. Wheeler and L. C. Wheeler, of beat 11, were in town Tuesday.

A good rain fell here last Saturday afternoon, which was badly needed.

J. M. Bradshaw spent a few days last week in Tupelo, Miss., on business.

Walter Riddle, of Wilsonville, was in town a short while Tuesday.

Mrs. A. H. Avery and Charles Sparks, Jr., were in Birmingham Tuesday.

Marvin Elliott spent Saturday and Sunday at Vincent with his parents.

Mrs. J. H. Smith spent Monday at Nelson with her mother, Mrs. S. Crowson.

Judge A. P. Longshore and W. L. Longshore spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

S. T. Brasher and L. C. Abbott, of Shelby, were in the city a short while Tuesday.

E. P. Niven and W. T. Taylor, of Wilsonville, were in town a short while Monday.

Mrs. Robert Lawley, of Brighton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Green.

Talmage Nelson and Tierce Millstead spent a few days in Birmingham this week.

Miss Emma Browne returned Sunday from a visit to Gulfport, Miss., and Montgomery.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS About People You Know—Some You Don't Know

J. S. Stone, of beat 9, was here last Friday.

R. F. Cox spent last Wednesday in Birmingham.

J. W. Dodson, of beat 9, was in the city Friday.

R. L. Stone, of beat 9, was in town last Friday.

Claude Brooks was in Birmingham last Saturday.

Oscar Green spent a few days at Brighton last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Isbell spent Friday in Birmingham.

J. H. Mason was in Montgomery Friday and Saturday.

Dr. D. S. Lightcap was in Montgomery last Thursday.

L. R. Kendrick, of beat 8, was in town last Wednesday.

C. L. O'Neal, of Varnon, was in the city Friday on business.

Marvin Saxon, of Ensley, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. W. M. Polk and children are visiting relatives in Sylacauga.

Edgar Millstead, of Bessemer, spent Saturday here with relatives.

Gordon DuBose made a business trip to Birmingham last Thursday.

Mrs. J. F. Baker is visiting relatives at Brierfield for a few days.

John Watson and W. G. Weldon of Vandiver, were in town Friday.

L. N. Nabors, of Montevallo, spent a few hours in the city Friday.

Oscar McGraw, of Birmingham, was in the city Friday and Saturday.

Calvin Weldon, of Wilsonville, was among the visitors here Friday.

Mrs. L. G. Pettyjohn returned to her home in Birmingham Saturday.

Miss Dinnie Mae Rowe returned Friday from a visit to Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry Seale, of Shelby, were in town Friday shopping.

John Kytie, of Talladega Springs, was in town a short while Friday.

Mrs. H. I. Williams returned Thursday from a visit to Talladega Springs.

J. S. Collum and B. H. Holcombe, of Shelby Springs, were in town Friday.

Miss Beulah Ellard, of Woodlawn, is the guest of Miss Dinnie Mae Rowe.

J. A. Griffin, of near Maylene, spent a part of Friday and Saturday in the city.

Mrs. A. S. Liles, of Raines, Tenn., is visiting relatives and friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Tinney visited relatives at Luverne a few last week and this.

Mrs. J. H. Longier and two daughters spent last Thursday in Calera with friends.

Mrs. L. H. Ellis and children returned Friday from a visit to relatives at Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Miller and J. S. Bird and daughter spent last Thursday in Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace, of Birmingham, spent a few hours in the city Friday afternoon.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Morris at their home in Alexander City on June 29, a daughter.

Mrs. E. A. Saxon, of Ensley, spent a few days in the city last week with her son, L. L. Saxon.

Miss Annie Laura Lamar, of Montgomery, was the guest of Miss Katie Mae McIntyre Saturday and Sunday.

Judge L. H. Reynolds and son, Grady Reynolds, of Clanton, were in the city last Wednesday and Thursday.

Henry Lester attended the Shelby County Masonic Conference at Vincent last Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Tom Taylor visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Evans, at Wilsonville a few days last week.

Prof. H. D. Wilmarth, of Guthrie, Okla., spent a few days in the city last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Misses Ida and Tillie Touro, after a visit here with Mrs. S. H. Coplon, returned to their home in Birmingham Sunday.

Tax sales next Saturday, July 11th.

G. L. Carlisle spent Sunday in Birmingham.

J. S. Jones, of beat 19, was in town Monday.

Ed Strickland, of Wilton, spent Sunday in town.

W. M. Connell, of beat 2, spent Monday in town.

E. W. Duckett, of Dunnivant, was in town Monday.

Rev. J. E. Bird is spending a few days in Anniston.

Nathan Gordon visited relatives in Birmingham Sunday.

Wilson Parker, of Spring Junction, was in town Monday.

Steadman Wood, of Shelby, was in town Monday on business.

J. D. Burnham, of Dargin, was in town a short while Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. I. Goodwin on July 3, a daughter.

J. N. Wyatt and Mark Wyatt, of beat 7, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leeper returned Saturday from Atlantic City.

Ed Barnett, of Birmingham, spent Sunday here with his parents.

Mrs. M. L. Morrell, of Birmingham, is visiting the family of J. S. Pitts.

W. A. Tallant, of near Calera, visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Dave Wohl, of Birmingham, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Mrs. J. E. Bird spent Monday and Tuesday in Anniston with friends.

Miss Effie Fulton, of Saginaw, is the guest of Miss Little Mae Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Acuff are spending the month at Shelby Springs.

Alger Robertson spent Saturday and Sunday in Birmingham with relatives.

C. L. Meroney and Judge E. S. Lyman, of Montevallo, were in the city Monday.

Frank Caldwell, of Birmingham, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with friends.

Little Miss Irene McMillan is spending a few days in Birmingham with relatives.

Mrs. A. W. Strickland and Miss Anna Strickland visited relatives at Pelham Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Allan spent Saturday and Sunday near Montevallo with relatives.

T. J. Weaver and Clarence and Lacy Robinson spent Sunday in Calera with relatives.

Mrs. J. T. Strickland, of Holt, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Green.

Mrs. Frank Thompson, of Sylacauga, visited the family of M. L. Almon Friday and Saturday.

B. F. Wilson, Jr., of Shelby, Supt. of Shelby Iron Co., was in the city Monday on business.

Little Lucile Bird and Annie Lou Wilbanks visited friends near Chelsea Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. McGraw, of Vincent, spent a few days here this week with her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Pitts.

R. L. Martin, of Selma, spent Sunday and Monday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Max Lefkovits.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cosper, of Childersburg, visited the family of H. M. Judge Sunday and Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Woodall at their home in Kings Mountain, N. C., on July 1, a son. They have named their little son John Turner.

R. L. Webster, who lives two miles east of here, brought to town last Friday several water melons, the first of the season, which he sold for a good price.

Mrs. A. H. Weaver and Mrs. I. W. Bailey, of Calera, spent Friday in the city with relatives. They left Wednesday for Johnson City, Tenn., to visit Mrs. W. I. Miller.

W. L. Christian, J. A. Jackson, Robert W. Strickland, Claude Farr and Luther L. Saxon attended the 100th anniversary of the battle of Horseshoe Bend on the Tallapoosa river last Saturday. They went over in Mr. Farr's automobile.

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Wilsonville, Alabama.

Pilgrims Rest

Crops are looking fine in our community.

A number of our young people attended the singing given at T. W. Kimble's last Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bearden of Columbiana were visitors in our community one day last week.

The most enjoyable event of the season was the fish fry and basket dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Armstrong's on last Saturday, July 4th, in honor of their many friends. At noon dinner was spread which was highly enjoyed by all present. In the afternoon delightful refreshments were served, after which all returned home saying it was a day well spent and long to be remembered. Apple Blossom.

Pension Examiners.

The Board of Pension Examiners are in session in Columbiana, and will continue in session for ten days. They can be found at Williams Bros. Drug Store.

Necessity is often mistaken for courage.

The Peoples Advocate.

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CORN CLUB BOYS TO STUDY FARMING

Plans Are Made For A Week's Course For 150 Representatives From Alabama

WILL BE HELD AT AUBURN

Auburn, July 13.—The farm extension department is making plans and preparation for holding the first annual practical school of agriculture for the Boys Corn Clubs of the State. The school will be held at Auburn August 4 to 9. Those in charge of the work are endeavoring to get experts from all over the country to give lectures on scientific agriculture. The evenings will be taken up with illustrated lectures.

This is the first year this school has been conducted in Auburn and it is planned to have at least 150 here to receive the benefit of the instruction. Those boys who attend the school will be selected according to their records in corn production for the past year. Each county having the same number of representatives.

The purpose of the school is to give the boys better ideas and higher ideals on the scientific farming problems. The extension department has made arrangements to house all of the boys and feed them at the college dormitories, and it is the plan to make this school an annual event.

Prospect No. 2

Crops are needing rain very badly in our community.

Arthur Looney of Columbiana was in our community Sunday.

A. R. Wells was here last week thrashing grain.

Mr. G. Martin and wife of Calera visited friends here Sunday.

Karlle Harris and Peter Seale made a flying trip to Jemison Sunday.

The singing given by Mr. J. D. Armstrong Saturday night was highly enjoyed by all present.

Two Cousins.

Notice For Publication

Under Act May 20, 1862 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., July 10, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charlie B. Davis, of Columbiana, Alabama, who on June 23, 1909, made Serial Homestead No. 04046, Receipt No. 2310, for the W¹/₂ of the NE¹/₄, Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 2 West, Huntsville Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Columbiana, Ala., on the 11th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: R. M. Payne, of Siluria, Ala. J. T. Lynch, of Columbiana, Ala. B. E. Hand, of Columbiana, Ala. J. F. Atchison, of Columbiana, Ala. Cato D. Glover, Register.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a Fi. Fa. issued from the Circuit Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., on Monday, the 3rd day of August, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

One mare mule named Rhode, one horse mule named Scott, one cow named Mary and one set of blacksmith tools.

Levied upon as the property of A. L. Blackman, to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of Milner, Christian & Co.

This 6th day of July, 1914.

J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

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Columbiana - - Alabama

\$1,950 Is Stolen In Montgomery

Montgomery, July 13.—Burglars entered the residence of Tunstall Crossland, at Highland avenue and Cedar street, early this morning and secured a box containing \$1,950 in cash. The box was concealed in a hat rack in the front hall, and Mrs. Crossland was aroused by hearing a noise.

Mr. Crossland was at once awakened and rushed into the hall with a pistol in his hand. He was in time to see a white man running down the back steps, and fired three shots at the retreating figure; none of which took effect.

The money which was stolen from the Crossland home was received for some property belonging to Mrs. Crossland, and which is in litigation. Saturday papers were served upon the Crosslands restraining them from disposing of any other property.

Singing Convention Held July 4th and 5th

The First District Sacred Harp Singing Convention met at Pleasant Valley the 4th and 5th of July, and was called to order by President J. A. Shirley Saturday at 10 A. M., and was opened by singing the American Star, and prayer by Rev. J. H. Grimes. Then the class was directed by J. A. Shirley, J. Powell, then arranging committee was appointed to arrange the program for afternoon and Sunday sessions, then we adjourned one hour for dinner.

Afternoon session: The class was directed by J. A. Shirley, and E. Simmons. We then entered into a business session. Minutes of last convention were read and adopted. Officers were then elected as follows: F. M. Hataway, President; L. A. Shirley, V. Pres; Berry Barnett, Sec.; J. A. Shirley, Chaplain; then A. L. Moore and J. T. Brooks were appointed as delegates to the Shelby County Convention which will meet at Columbiana at the High School Auditorium the third Sunday in July, then we had a recess of 15 minutes. We then met and the following leaders directed the class: F. M. Hataway, John Armstrong, Luther Kendrick and Berry Barnett. We adjourned until Sunday morning by singing Artonville, and prayer by K. H. Davis.

Sunday morning session was opened by the President singing. Devotion and prayer by D. Kendrick. Then the class was directed by F. M. Hataway, J. H. Martin, J. A. Shirley, and L. A. Shirley. We then had 15 minutes recess, after which we met and the following leaders directed the class: J. W. Shaw, J. A. Argo, J. W. Armstrong, L. R. Kendrick, J. A. Shirley and Berry Barnett. We then adjourned one hour for dinner, after which we met again and the class was directed by F. M. Hataway, E. Simmons, J. W. Armstrong, L. R. Kendrick and Berry Barnett. We then went into selection of a place for our next convention to be held, Lesters Chappel being the place designated for the next convention and the first Sunday in October is the date for meeting. We had recess and met and the following leaders directed the class: F. M. Hataway, L. A. Shirley, John Martin, J. W. Shaw, J. A. Argo, F. M. Hataway, J. A. Shirley. We were then dismissed by sing Return Again, and prayer. F. M. Hataway, Pres. Berry Barnett, Sec.

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ONE KILLED AND ANOTHER INJURED

Florence, July 11.—Lightning killed one boy and fatally injured another and seriously shocked a third at Cloverdale, about seven miles north of Florence Thursday afternoon.

Edward Abrahamson, aged 15, killed, and Emmet Abrahamson, aged 11, fatally hurt, were sons of W. Abrahamson. The third boy is the son of a Mr. Hockley, of Cloverdale beat. Another Abrahamson brother, who was a few yards away, was unhurt. The boys were passing through an open field when they were struck.

Singing Convention To Be Held Here

The Shelby County Sacred Harp Singing Convention will meet, at the High School Auditorium next Sunday morning, July 19. Everybody invited to come and bring well filled baskets.

F. M. Hataway.

State News Items

Winston county has only five attorneys, and a report says that there is not a prisoner in the Winston jail.

Four negroes were killed and five wounded in Birmingham last Sunday.

Crop conditions throughout the state have been greatly improved during the past week on account of local showers.

The Methodists of Eufaula are going to build a new \$25,000 church.

The town of Russellville is a hundred years old, and has a population of 2,000 people.

Box And Ice Cream Supper

There will be a Box and Ice Cream Supper at Prospect No. 2, Thursday night, July 16, for the benefit of the church. Everybody is invited to come.

Lester's Chappel

We had a big rain last Thursday which was needed very badly, and crops are looking fine now.

Fayette Bradley spent last week near Bethel.

J. S. Hartsfield and R. B. Lester made a business trip to Columbiana Saturday.

Don't forget that our singing school will start on the 27th. We are expecting a good school with Prof. John M. Dye as principal.

J. S. Hartsfield transacted business in Birmingham one day last week.

J. W. McCullers made a trip to Chelsea Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bradley visited relatives in Columbiana last Friday.

Arnold McCullers of K. Spring was in our midst a part of last week.

Jim Walton and family of Union visited relatives here a part of last week.

Roy Simmons and Spurgeon Bradley spent a part of Saturday at Chelsea.

Work on the saw mill of Mr. Hartsfield is progressing nicely, and we learn that they will be ready to begin sawing in a few days.

H. W. Parker of Chelsea was in our community Friday. We learn Mr. Parker is running for sheriff on the Independent ticket.

S. B. Bradley and wife spent one night last week with their son, R. S. Bradley at Nelson Switch.

Sunday School at this place well attended Sunday.

Marvin Watson attended the singing at Mt. Era Sunday.

Misses Lexie and Eunice Strother of Hartsfield, Rte. 1, visited their sister, Mrs. S. S. Roper Sunday.

Mrs. Pearson of Chelsea spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. S. R. Vick.

J. W. McCullers visited his father near K. Spring Sunday.

There will be a singing at Mr. J. S. Hartsfield's next Saturday night. Everybody invited.

Rev. Horton will fill his regular appointment here next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Sunday School at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Everybody come.

Rancherson,

MASS MEETING HELD AT CALERA

A mass meeting of the Republicans of Shelby county was held at Calera Saturday, July 11th, at one o'clock P. M. W. H. Sturdivant presided as chairman and W. E. Finley as Secretary. Delegates were selected for the State and district conventions. J. F. Baker was made County Chairman and W. E. Finley Secretary. An executive committee was also named consisting of one member from each voting precinct and four from the voting at large.

The county ticket nominated by the Progressive and Republican primary was duly endorsed and the candidates being present. They were given a most hearty assurance of the good will and support of all Republicans of the county, and every one present seemed to be satisfied and expressed themselves as confident of victory at the November election. Harmony prevailed throughout the meeting, and every one present seemed determined that the county ticket should be elected with a greater majority than was received by the opposition to the democratic party in 1912.

Overflow Locals

A small truck farm would pay in Columbiana.

J. S. Vest, of Wilton, was in the city a short while Tuesday.

P. O. Luck has moved his law office into the Duran building.

The new gin house of W. H. Shrader will soon be completed.

H. C. Fulton, of Oxford, was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

Alger Robertson spent Tuesday on his father's farm near Wilsonville.

W. L. Longshore has moved his law office up stairs over the post-office.

L. H. Ellis will soon have his residence on East College street completed.

J. D. Staples, of Oxford, is spending a few days here with J. T. McMillin.

Mrs. F. B. Jordan and daughter, of Bay Spring, visited relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Finch and Mrs. T. S. Sheffield, of Shelby, were in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Barber are occupying the residence with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Verchot.

Mrs. J. S. Pitts and Mrs. M. L. Morrell spent Tuesday in Calera with Mrs. Robert Holcombe.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Morgan and Onnie Saxon, of Ensley, attended the funeral of Richard Elliott here Saturday.

Messrs. Boyd and Bradshaw, contractors on the highway from here to Wilsonville, are having chert put on the new road.

R. E. Bowdon, of Keystone, and W. G. Nichols, of Calera, attended a meeting of the Board of Revenue here Monday and Tuesday.

Tax Collector, G. W. Weaver went down to Montgomery Tuesday and made a final settlement with the state for taxes collected for 1913.

We learn that G. F. Harper has sold the place he bought from Ben T. Johnson to A. S. Liles, and that Mr. Liles will probably move back to Columbiana in the near future.

Well-To-Do Men Must Serve At Hard Labor

Montgomery, July 14.—Fred Bell, of Barbour County, and A. A. Norton, of Henry County, members of well known families, have just been put to service at hard labor for violations of State laws. Governor O'Neal has revoked a temporary parole granted Bell and has refused to interfere in the sentence imposed on Norton.

Bell was convicted of carrying a pistol.

Norton is said to be worth above \$20,000 and was convicted of assault and battery.

RICHARD ELLIOTT DIES IN BESSEMER

Richard Elliott, who was cut by W. A. Chambliss at Brighton on July 4th, died at an infirmary in Bessemer last Friday. His remains were brought here Saturday morning and the funeral service was conducted at the Methodist church by Rev. J. H. Harris, and interment was made in the city cemetery.

Mr. Elliott was well known in Columbiana and Shelby county, having lived here in the days of his youth and young manhood.

He is survived by his wife and five children, his father, W. B. Elliott of this place; three sisters, Mrs. E. A. Saxon, Mrs. J. B. Morgan, of Ensley; Mrs. John Reynolds, of Jasper; and two brothers, Sam and Frank Elliott, who reside in Texas.

Eighth District S. S. Convention

The 8th District Sunday School Convention will meet with the Harpersville Methodist Sunday School Sunday afternoon, July 19th, beginning at 2:30 o'clock. Everybody invited to come and join us in the work.

Devotional Services, conducted by W. C. Huckaby.

Address—M. N. Manning.

Song—Mrs. Herbert Baker.

Address—Rev. L. N. Hartsfield.

Song—Led by J. M. Dye.

Address—Ira D. Harris.

Song—Reading—Miss Mary Posey.

Business Session—C. H. Florey, Pres. M. E. Vincent, Sec.

Miss Haynes Hostess

Miss Little Mae Haynes entertained quite a number of friends on last Thursday night in honor of her guests, Miss Effie Fulton of Saginaw, and Miss Leila Johnson of Wilton. Games were played during evening, after which delicious refreshments were served.

445,635 BALES IS CONSUMED

Washington, July 14.—Cotton consumed during June was 445,635 bales, exclusive of linters, compared with 441,157 in June last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

Consumption for the ten months ending July 30, was 4,745,390 bales, against 4,588,729 last year.

Cotton on hand June 30 in manufacturing establishments was 1,154,000 bales compared with 1,203,470 a year ago. In independent warehouses 630,729, compared with 609,360 a year ago.

On hand in manufacturing establishments, 88,819 bales against 81,845 bales a year ago, and in independent warehouses 33,185 against 40,877 a year ago, according to examiners.

Calhoun Woman Gets Prize For Potatoes

Anniston, Alabama, July 14.—A prize record in the raising of potatoes is reported from Macon's Quarter, near Ohatchie, in the western part of the county, where Mrs. H. Lee Brown is said to have raised 576 bushels of potatoes, all of which she marketed herself, getting a fancy price for the product.

Notice To Teachers!

I beg to advise that each and every teacher bring with them to the Institute such books and material as are required; for example, the Elementary Manual of the Course of Study, Colgroves, The Teacher and the School, etc.

S. P. Williamson, Co. Supt. Ed.

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80 acres fine level land, 60 acres in cultivation; 2 bold springs; 20 acres woodland, oak, hickory, dogwood, etc.; three miles from Columbiana. Call on J. W. Johnston for price and terms.

Deficiency Bill Benefits Alabama

Washington, July 10.—The general deficiency bill reported today carries an appropriation for Miss Barnes Richardson, daughter of Representative Richardson, for \$7,500. This appropriation is customary, being given to the family of all members of Congress who died and is equivalent to one year's salary. The bill also carried an appropriation for \$5000 to buy a postoffice site for Greenville, Ala.

Mrs. E. T. Hunter Dies In Ensley

Mrs. Hunter, wife of Mr. E. T. Hunter of this place, died at the home of her son, E. T. Myrick, in Ensley last Sunday morning. Mrs. Hunter had been sick for some time and her death was not unexpected by her family and friends.

Mrs. Hunter had been a resident of Columbiana for many years, and was well known and liked by every one.

The funeral service was conducted Monday and interment was made in the cemetery at Ensley.

Mrs. Hunter is survived by her husband and two sons, E. T. Myrick of Birmingham, and Ed. Hunter of this place.

Two White Trustees Missing At Wetumpka

Notice of the escape of Doc Bingham and Fisher Stewart, two white trustees at the State Penitentiary at Wetumpka was received yesterday at the office of the State Convict Department. Both men worked at the power plant at Wetumpka and disappeared Sunday night. Bingham was sentenced to serve 25 years on a murder charge, while Stewart was sentenced in Bullock county to a term of ten years on a charge of forgery. —Montgomery Advertiser.

Rain and Electrical Storm Hits Cordova

Cordova, July 13.—A severe local wind and electrical storm broke over this vicinity at 3:30 Sunday afternoon, uprooting and breaking off many large trees, blowing down several small houses near Benoit, two miles east of here, and demolishing the Cordova Furniture company's two story building in Cordova, together with some unused mining tipples. So far as can be learned no one has been injured. Several hundred people had gathered at the Frisco bridge over the Warrior to witness the baptizing of some twenty-five converts of the Baptist churches, and the terrific downpour of rain and hail that accompanied the wind and lightning caught the entire assemblage before they had time to reach shelter.

Kingdom News

The Sunday School Day at the Kingdom Church last Saturday was highly enjoyed by all. Every one was more than interested to see how the junior classes carried out their parts, and the seniors also did well; mainly through the efforts and suggestions of Mr. J. M. Hughes, their superintendent, who has proven to be more than a lover of the Sunday School, and we thank him for his never failing presence in making the Sunday School and hope to have another Sunday School Day at some future time.

We hope the prayer meeting in this community may continue.

Horace Walton of Northport was in this community Saturday.

The protracted meeting will open here Monday night after the first Sunday in August. Rev. Longier of Columbiana will assist in the meeting.

Otis Ray of Fourmile was here Sunday.

Miss Francis Watley of Randolph has been visiting in this community. Rusticus.

FOR SALE

One second hand McCormack mower and rake, in good condition; bargain to any one needing such tools. Call on or write J. S. Bird, Columbiana, Ala.

COTTON IS SHOWING UP FINE

However, The Boll Weevil Is Cutting Some Figure With The Fleecy Staple

CORN PUT AT 76 PER CENT

Montgomery, July 11.—Reports received by the State Department of Agriculture during the week indicate hope for the cotton crop with the boll weevil as the one discouraging agency, while the corn crop is poor and information so unsatisfactory that the department today estimated the condition to be 76 per cent of normal with final yields in other years as the basis for a comparison.

Commissioner Kolb stated that there was much to indicate a good oat crop and declared that the discouragement in the prospective corn yield should cause farmers to immediately consider the planting of cow peas, sorghum and German millet.

Referring to the corn crop, Commissioner Kolb said his average is the third lowest "of all corn growing states, Arkansas and Oklahoma alone being beneath us in the scale" and that "it shows that Alabama has fared hard in her anticipations from a chief resource of her agricultural wealth for 1914."

Of the cotton crop, Commissioner Kolb said:

"The cotton crop at this time is reported fine throughout the State. There appears just now to be only a simple qualification to abridge our hopes for a magnificent yield of this white wealth and that is recognized in the boll weevil."

From every section reports are coming that the farmers are using systematic methods in fighting the weevil. Weekly letters are being received from all demonstrators and in practically all of statements are being made that the weevils are being picked from the plant and burned.

Picnic At Westover.

There will be a picnic at Westover, Saturday, July 18th, two ball games during the day, and other entertainments for old and young. Everybody come and let us have a good time together. Don't forget to bring a basket of dinner.

H. E. Archer.

Chelsea Dots

Crops well worked are looking good, and it is pleasant to see so much more acreage in cultivation this year than heretofore.

J. B. Turner shipped a car load of hogs and cattle last week.

Mrs. J. L. Niven was carried to a Birmingham hospital for treatment, and we trust she will improve rapidly.

J. G. Mitchell has been on the sick list for a few days.

G. W. Weldon and others went over to Calera Saturday.

H. W. Parker, candidate for sheriff on Independent ticket was among his friends here Monday.

C. W. Chesser says he will buy a few cars of good ties now, so if you come this way bring him a few loads and see the many opportunities Chelsea affords the trading public.

We understand the nice brick store planned by F. P. Chesser was started first of the week.

Rumors say Mr. Weldon will begin a new store at an early date. We are glad to see these improvements in Chelsea.

T. B. Holcombe is looking forward to what bids fair to be the best season's ginning this country has ever had, and proposes to be equipped to meet the custom with service and satisfaction.

A few melons have been brought in and it looks like the farmers can always find sale for their products at this market.

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COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative:

H. C. HURST.

For Sheriff:

W. B. SEALE.

Peace has not been declared in Mexico yet.

Come to Columbiana to do your shopping.

Columbiana has a dog law but it is not enforced.

Rain is badly needed in different sections of the county.

We need a few more small industries in Columbiana.

Jefferson county leads all others in the state for murders.

The political pot is beginning to boil in old Shelby again.

Keep in mind the County Fair to be held at Montevallo in October.

The farmers of this county should turn more of their attention to raising grain and cattle.

A little caucus was held in Columbiana last Thursday and the facts will be forthcoming a little later.

The public school building needs recovering and repairing, which should be done before school opens this fall.

Now is the time to make arrangements to send your children to the Shelby County High School, which opens in September.

The scarcity of beef cattle throughout the entire county, has caused the price of beef to advance, and if the reports are true it will still go higher.

Don't get scared about the boll weevil entering this county and pull up your cotton, but be wise in the future and plant more corn and less cotton to feed the weevils.

Every farmer in the county should raise his own flour at home, which could be done at a small cost. Everything raised at home to eat, is that much saved. Why buy flour when you can raise your own wheat.

Nearly every county in the state selects its own county officers except Shelby county. A few democrats in the county had the law passed to suit themselves, but we believe the law will be repealed by the next legislature.

The Board of Revenue should be elected by the qualified voters of the county instead of being appointed by the governor. Let the citizens of Shelby county select their county officials instead of having them appointed.

We need a new road law in Shelby county in order to keep the roads worked and repaired. Under the present road law, the public roads are not being worked as they should be, and the small bridges are in bad condition.

The day of great things in agriculture is at hand. There are more possibilities in agriculture for the young man today than in any other occupation of which we have knowledge. Intelligence and originality open the door of opportunity to the young man who wishes to succeed on the farm or to become a leader in agricultural affairs in our colleges and experiment stations.—Farm and Ranch.

Farming by Example

There are many reasons why no manager can afford careless habits of farm practice. The first and most important reason is that such methods do not pay. But granting that the manager can neglect the principles and practices of progressive farm management and still stay on the farm he can not afford to do this because of the example he thus places before his children.

It is of paramount importance that work be done in approved and progressive manner. Children soon get old enough to imitate their parents. If scrub stock are good enough for their father the boys are apt to think that scrub stock are good enough for them. If a one-horse cultivator that requires two furrows to the row will suffice for your farm the boys will be reluctant to buy an improved cultivator. Likewise, if mother was accustomed to deprive herself of labor-saving devices in the kitchen the girls, when they have homes of their own, will hardly demand labor-saving conveniences.

We do not live to nor for ourselves alone. Our families look to us for example. The farm you are tilling today may be the ideal of your boy in after years. The modest farm home in which you are rearing your children will linger in their memory long after you have passed to your reward. It behooves us, then, to make the most of our opportunities for progressive farming and comfortable living for the sake of our children as well as ourselves.

Every man should desire to be serviceable to his neighbors. Most farmers are always ready and willing to give assistance in helping with the work of a neighbor who is sick or who has had misfortune. This is laudable and such conduct makes the name of the farmer immortal. But out interest in public welfare and our standing as a successful farmer should cause us to be jealous of our reputation as a man of progressive ideas. The home, the farm and the livestock should reflect our ideals and leave a worthy example to be emulated by young men. This is where deeds are more influential than words. The farmstead should be an example for the neighborhood and the county, and the state should be benefited by the kind of farming done on your farm and the life spent in your home.—Farm and Ranch.

Pennsylvania Man Has Some Skin

Pittsburgh, Penn., July 9.—Seventeen months from the time he was admitted to a hospital here, Everly Jacobs, of Charleroi, Pa., today was discharged with eighty square inches of new skin obtained. Jacobs, while employed in a mill, was frightfully burned. His father and nine friends gave the cuticle which saved his life.

Surgeons regard the case as one of the most remarkable in the history of grafting of skin.

Officers Find Still Near A Church

Huntsville, July 9.—Within 300 yards of Briar Fork church, where revival meetings will begin this month, revenue raiders today found a fully equipped illicit distillery and large quantities of supplies. Thinking that the still was a mile beyond, the revenue men got out of their car at the church and started to walk to the point where they thought the still was. They stumbled into the place and the men were gone, having heard the officers when they arrived at the church. The supplies were valued at about \$300.

What has become of the old-fashioned boy who used to carry water for the elephants,

AN OPPORTUNITY FOR THE SOUTH

Last year one-third of the total immigration received by Canada was from the United States.

According to Consul Dillingham, American representative at Winnipeg, 116,000 citizens of this country crossed the border and settled in the land of the Union Jack.

This great army of citizens, according to the same authority, carried from this country \$1,178,000 in cash and \$1,132,000 in other valuables.

The only encouraging feature about the situation is that the number who departed from the United States was 25,000 less than the total for 1912.

During the past few years fully a half million people have emigrated to Canada, and they represented, as a rule, the most desirable type of citizens, thrifty, hard-working and ambitious farmers, just the kind of men who are needed to bring the virgin lands of the South into productive fields. That they have left, and that other thousands are following, is a regrettable state of affairs, and it is due in no small measure to lack of knowledge concerning the agricultural possibilities of this section. These farmers, many of them occupying high-priced lands in the West and Northwest, have become discouraged at the small earnings they have been enabled to realize, and have been induced to leave because lands across the border are cheaper and, in some instances, newer and more productive.

If these men knew that they were turning their backs upon one of the most productive portions of the North American Continent, and that lands in this section could be bought at a very low figure, they would come this way instead of turning their faces toward the North. Then they would not suffer the disappointment that comes to many who go to Canada.

The farther north the farmer goes the shorter the period in which he has to cultivate and to harvest his crops, and the greater the discomforts he and his family have to endure. On the other hand, when these farmers come South, they find that they can not only raise one crop without rushing themselves to death for fear the biting blasts of Winter will find their grain unharvested, but they can raise several crops in the course of a year. Not only so, but they can produce a much greater variety, and do it with nothing like the discomfort that the Canadian farmer must endure.

The South is the garden spot of the world; a trite statement, but one that is absolutely true, and it is amazing that the development of its agricultural lands has not gone forward with great rapidity. It is a condition that is due to ignorance of what the South has to offer, and the people of this section should leave nothing undone to let the world know what this territory has to offer in lands and climate, and in other features that appeal to the thrifty and ambitious.

An Ohio contemporary, discussing the Canadian movement, deplores the loss of many thrifty citizens and suggests that the Government should do something to counteract the movement. It says, among other things:

"The Government might, for instance, greatly extend its activities in the way of irrigation. There are millions of acres which, though naturally fertile, requires water to make them usable. These lands could be made quite as valuable as any possessed by Canada. And if they were available the heavy emigration of American farmers across the border would be reduced, if not stopped."

AGENTS FARMERS' UNION ADOPT RESOLUTIONS

Following are the resolutions adopted by the state convention of business agents of the Alabama Farmers' Union, endorsing good roads days in Alabama, August 13, 14 and 15, as designated by the Alabama Good Roads association:

"Whereas, August 13, 14 and 15 are established and known as good roads days, for the purpose of assembling the people in their respective counties and communities for the purpose of working the public roads:

"Resolved, first, That we most heartily endorse good roads days and urge our members to co-operate in their respective counties in making same a success.

"Resolved, second, That we request the local Farmers union to take official recognition of good roads days and to urge members of their respective locals to observe same.

"Resolved, third, That we congratulate and commend the Alabama Good Roads association in its splendid work in promoting and establishing good roads days in Alabama.

"Resolved, fourth, That we heartily endorse the efforts of the United States Good Roads association in its work to secure the co-operation and adoption of good roads days in every state in the union and that we recommend to our brethren throughout the country to join and co-operate in the observance of these days."—The Birmingham Ledger.

DALLAS IS GOING TO RAISE CATTLE

Selma, July 9.—The cattle business is assuming greater proportion throughout Dallas county every week and soon this section of the State may be known as one of the greatest livestock sections in the South. The advance of the Mexican boll weevil will practically eliminate cotton from this section of the state next year and the farmers are going into the cattle raising business for good, and are busy making preparations for it.

This is evidenced from the fact of the large number of high-grade cattle which is being bought by the farmers of this section. Hardly a day passes but there is received in Selma blooded stock which has been shipped to some farmer of the county who is going into the cattle business on a small scale to start with.

Another good indication of the future cattle business in this part of the state is during the week one man has been awarded the contract for the building of twelve silos in the western section of Dallas county. These twelve silos are to be built on as many places and each will cost \$1,000.

The South has hundreds of thousands of fertile acres that are ready for cultivation without the need of irrigation or other artificial aids, and it is the duty of the South to advertise the fact in every possible way. By doing so it can become greatly enriched and add greatly to the wealth of the Nation.—Birmingham News.

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The annual session of the Shelby County Musical Convention will be held at Liberty church, Chelsea, Ala., on the fourth Sunday in July. A full attendance is expected as the election of officers for the ensuing year will be held. Come prepared to enjoy the occasion.

John M. Dye, President.
Edgar Minor, Secretary.

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There will be a singing school taught at Liberty Chapel church by Prof. Jno. M. Dye, beginning July 27, 1914. For further information concerning tuition and board write

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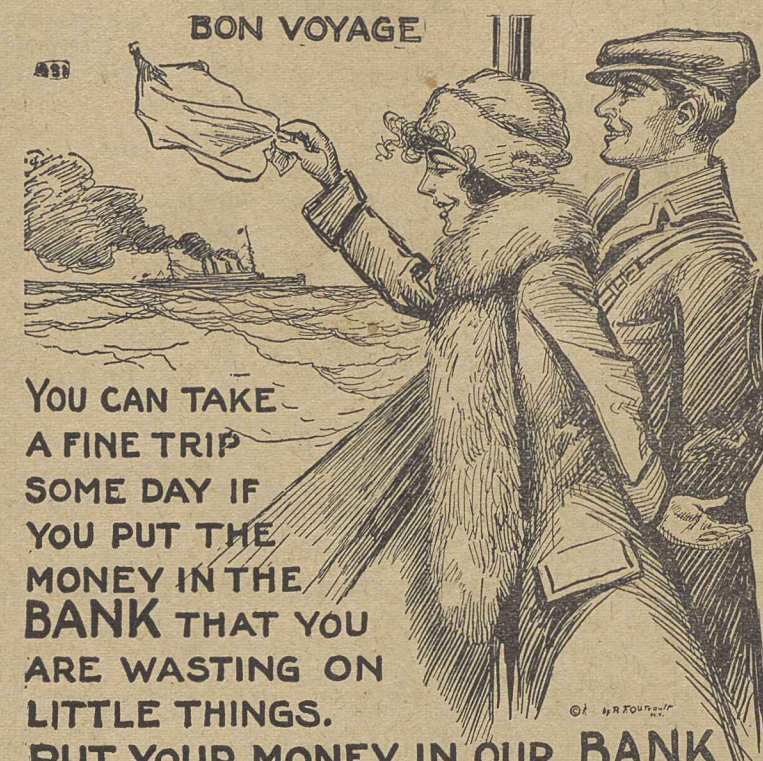
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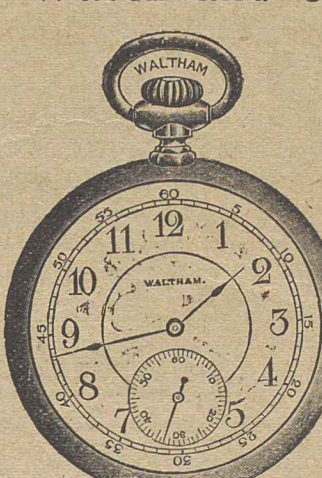


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Montgomery, July 9.—Considerably over \$1,000,000 now represents the annual revenue of the state convict department, according to Hartwell Douglass, president of the board of convict inspectors, who has made a brief report to the governor for the second quarter ending June 30. The receipts for the quarter, including revenue derived from all convict labor contracts and from the output of the cotton mill at Speigners amounted to \$313,000, the largest receipts of the department for any quarter in the history of the state. According to President Douglass the contracts of the department are bringing into the state treasury more revenue than ever before in the departments history, and the receipts are constantly increasing. President Douglass declares that this is due to the nature of the contracts and to the thorough co-operation on the part of the contractors with the department in securing the best results from a humanitarian standpoint as well as from a financial one.

The output from the Banner mines for the month of June was 35,000 tons, the largest ever made by that mine, and probably the largest ever produced by any mine in the district, according to President Douglass.

During the month the convicts in the mines earned about \$1300, which was paid to them for extra labor performed. They were allowed to send this money to their families or to spend it in any other legitimate way.

Luke M'Luke Says

From the Cincinnati Enquirer.

The only chance some men have of becoming great is to become great grand-fathers.

The race is not always to the swift. The faster you live the quicker you will slow up.

Nine times out of ten you can always borrow a match from an Irishman.

A princess meets the only man she could ever love about twice a month, and he is always a different man.

The blot on a man's good name may be traced to a cheap fountain pen. Oh, for a blotter!

Before marriage she believes that he would defy the whole world in her defense. After marriage she doesn't mind telling him that a worm could whip him.

It isn't nice thing to say, but it is true. If a man was as perfect as his wife expects him to be, it wouldn't be long until the monotony would drive her to flirt with an onery porch climber who had a reputation for whipping his wife every night.

Capital punishment is a good thing. There should be some way to get even with a good fellow who will spend \$9 with a bunch of soused strangers and then go home and whip one of the kids because the little tad lost a nickel when sent on an errand.

After a woman has put in 15 years working 18 hours a day for a man and raising his family, the man usually wonders why she does not look as neat and pretty as some of the other women he sees on the street.

It has just gotten to a point where a well behaved child is one who permits its parents to do as they want to without rebuking them in public.

Lots of men who do not know the difference between "pro" and "oon" will brag that they can tell rye from Bourbon.

Some guys are born onery and others sit in front of you on open cars and spit tobacco juice.

JULY CROP RE- PORT, ALABAMA

Washington, July 9.—Estimates as of July 1, 1914, with comparisons, made by the Bureau of Crop Estimates (formerly Bureau of Statistics), are given below:

Alabama.
Corn, July 1 forecast 48,400,000 bushels.
All Wheat, July 1 forecast 380,000 bushels.
Oats, July 1 forecast 6,790,000 bushels.
Potatoes, July 1 forecast 1,180,000 bushels.
Sweet Potatoes, July 1 forecast 4,760,000 bushels.
Tobacco, July 1 forecast 91,000 pounds.
Hay, Condition July 1, 1914, 69 per cent.
Pasture, Condition July 1, 1914, 65 per cent.
Cabbages, Condition July 1, 1914, 66 per cent.
Apples, Condition July 1, 1914, 59 per cent.
Peaches, Condition July 1, 1914, 54 per cent.
Watermelons, Condition July 1, 1914, 72 per cent.
Sorghum, Condition July 1, 1914, 76 per cent.

KENTUCKY HAS PARCHING DROUTH

Louisville, Ky., July 9.—The worst drouth has been experienced in Kentucky for 45 years is parching the state. Since April there has been only a trifle of rain and conditions have reached a serious stage.

The months of May, June and July have been almost dry. From the beginning of March through June the total rainfall has been 8.01 inches, which is 9.58 inches less than the normal rainfall for that period.

Not a drop of rain fell in June save slight local showers. Crops are in such condition that unless rain comes in a few days they cannot be saved. The tobacco production this year will be only half of the normal.

Creeks and streams are so low that the water supply of the towns has been reduced to the lowest limit. The Louisville & Nashville Railroad has started hauling water to supply its tanks.

The Price Of Meat Is Going Higher

Chicago, July 9.—Meat prices will rise above the record figures of recent years despite the huge grain crop, packing house representatives today asserted. They say that the present scarcity of cattle and the effect of dry weather on grazing lands will more than offset the enormous grain yield. A beef price of 16 cents to the butcher was predicted as an early possibility.

State Examination For The Teachers

The next State Examination for the teachers of Shelby County will be held at Columbiana, Ala., on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, July 20th, 21st and 22nd, 1914.

All applicants must be present at 10 o'clock Monday morning. I will furnish paper, but applicants must furnish pen and ink.

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The man who stands for the right in the face of public clamor; the man who from inherent courage is strong enough to mete out justice tempered with mercy.

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Ridicule is a dreadful weapon. Men dread it. Men, big men, crave understanding and sympathy. The absence of these and the presence of ridicule prove their bigness. If, in the face of ridicule and without understanding and sympathy, a man performs his duty, he is truly great.

And the performance of that duty not alone enhances his reputation,—which means to promote him in the esteem of his fellow man,—but it strengthens his character, which means to make him an even better man.

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the court house door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday the 3rd day of August, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

The Northeast Fourth of the Southeast Fourth, Section 15, Township 19, Range 2 East, less eight acres in the Northeast corner of Northeast Fourth of Southeast Fourth, all in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of W. D. Bailey to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of International Harvester Company of America.

This 30th day of June, 1914.
J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

7-2-36

Sheriff's Sale

By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday, the 27th day of July, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Commencing at center of Southeast fourth of northwest fourth at the southeast corner of a ten acre tract of land belonging to A. P. Long, shore, thence south 640 feet, thence northeast along Shelby Springs dirt road 492 feet, thence west 560 feet to point of beginning, section 34, township 21, range 1 west, containing five acres more or less; also one house and lot No. 135, map of Columbiana, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of Luther Sterrett, to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of The Judice Company.

This 18th day of June, 1914.
J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

Shrieff's Sale.

By virtue of a Fi. Fa. issued from the City Court of Birmingham, Jefferson County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., Shelby County, on Monday, the 27th day of July, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

Beginning at a point 7.50 chains south of ne corner of section 12, township 22, range 2 west, and run west forty chains, thence south 12 1/2 chains thence east forty chains, and thence north 12 1/2 chains to the point of beginning, containing 50 acres; Section 12, Township 22, Range 2 west, also lot in Section 7, Township 22, Range 1 west, beginning at a point 12.28 chains south of nw corner of said section 7, and running thence south 59 1/4 degrees, east 1 chain and 38 links, thence north thirty degrees, east 56 links, and thence north 45 1/2 degrees, west 3 chains to the range line, and thence south 64 links to point of beginning, Section 7, Township 22, Range 1 west, all in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of Samuel Will John, to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of W. J. Lloyd.

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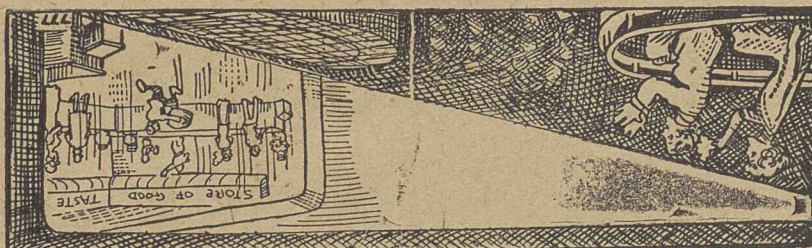
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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

About People You Know—Some You Don't Know

W. L. Bentley, of beat 8, was in town Saturday.

C. H. Frye, of Ozan, was in the city last Friday.

Circuit Court will convene on Monday, August 3.

L. D. Tatum spent last Thursday in Birmingham.

John Stapp, of Chelsea, was in the city last Friday.

John A. Campbell, of Calera, was in town Saturday.

L. L. Saxon was in Birmingham Tuesday on legal business.

Wm. Cooper, of beat 8, spent last Wednesday in town.

James Patterson, of Keystone, spent Saturday in town.

Prof. and Mrs. L. Leftwich spent Saturday in Birmingham.

Henry Stone, of Harpersville, spent last Friday in town.

R. W. Armstrong, of Fourmile, was in town last Thursday.

There was quite a large crowd in town Saturday shopping.

Walter Lester, of near Chelsea, spent last Friday in the city.

Dr. T. S. Sheffield, of Shelby, was here a short while Friday.

J. T. Leeper was in Wilton last Wednesday on legal business.

W. H. Kidd, of Vincent, was in the city Saturday on business.

Emmet Shaw, of Aldrich, was in the city Saturday on business.

Judge A. P. Longshore was in Birmingham last Friday on business.

Geo. M. Harrison, of Montevallo, was here a short while Saturday.

Miss Fay Mason is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. J. Woods, at Sycamore.

Will Spearman, of Fourmile, was among the visitors here last Friday.

J. H. Fulton, of Saginaw, was in town last Wednesday and Thursday.

J. B. Griffin, of near Maylene, spent last Friday in the city on business.

Miss Sallie Lawrence spent a few days in Birmingham last week with friends.

W. B. Browne and J. T. Leeper spent Saturday in Birmingham on legal business.

Mrs. T. G. Nelson and children returned last Thursday from a visit to Birmingham.

L. H. Ellis attended the State Bar Association in Montgomery Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. G. L. Carlisle spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Birmingham with friends.

D. H. Riddle, of Talladega, spent a few hours in the city last Thursday on legal business.

Miss Sammie Taylor, of Wilsonville, was the guest of Mrs. E. D. Duran Friday and Saturday.

Rev. J. H. Longier will preach at the Baptist church next Sunday. All are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Clott Nelson moved to Chandler Springs last week where they will make their home.

Miss Leila Johnson, of Wilton, spent a few days in the city last week with Miss Little Mae Haynes.

Mrs. John Stewart of Oxford, and Mrs. T. E. Davidson of Wilton, spent last Friday in the city with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Almon and Miss Sadie Almon spent a few days in Birmingham last week with relatives.

Geo. W. Weldon, Supt. S. P. Williamson, J. B. Turner and H. W. Parker, of Chelsea, were in town Saturday.

Miss Willie Chandler, after a visit here with Dr. and Mrs. Joel Chandler, returned to her home in Gadsden Saturday.

Geo. E. Mason spent Thursday and Friday at Verbena, where he went to conduct the Chilton County Masonic Conference.

Misses Sula and Lizzie Dainwood, of Columbia, Tenn., spent a few days here last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harper.

Mrs. Georgia Teel and daughter, Miss Elnora, of Clanton, visited at the home of W. A. Thompson a few days last week.

J. K. Lanning, of Anniston, was in the city last Friday on business. Mr. Lanning is traveling passenger agent for the L. & N.

W. W. Roy, of Helena, was in town last Thursday.

A. L. Blackmon, of Wilsonville, was in town Saturday.

J. L. Peters spent Sunday in Montevallo with friends.

Dr. John Chandler is spending the week in Montgomery.

Toliver Taylor spent Monday in Birmingham on business.

Percy Pitts was in Montevallo Monday on legal business.

A. P. Longshore, Jr., spent Monday at Pelham on business.

Mrs. Rosa Teague spent Sunday in Wilsonville with friends.

Green E. Abbott, of near Shelby, was in the city Monday.

Nathan Gordon was in Birmingham Sunday and Monday.

Robert Lawley, of Bessemer, is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. J. H. Compton is spending the month at Shelby Springs.

J. N. Robertson, of near Wilsonville, spent Monday in town.

H. J. Busby, of Shelby, was in the city Monday on business.

R. L. Webster, of beat 2, was among the visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Coe, of Saginaw, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. E. D. Duran spent Monday and Tuesday in Birmingham.

P. E. Williams, of Vandiver, spent Monday in town on business.

Joe Cromwell, of Birmingham, spent a days here last week with his wife.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Weaver visited relatives in Wilsonville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Saxon, of Ensley, visited relatives in the city Sunday.

Harry Roberts, of Sylacauga, visited relatives in the city Saturday and Sunday.

Browne, Leeper & Koenig have moved their law offices into the Duran building.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Tinney returned Sunday from a visit to relatives in Luverne.

Miss Gertrude Chapman and Maurine Chapman are visiting relatives in Sylacauga.

Rev. John Milner, of Birmingham, spent a few days in the city this week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Page, Mrs. J. W. Peers and Miss Inez Peers spent Sunday at Bay Spring.

Mrs. Pearl Camp and Miss Winnie Brooks are spending a few days at Brierfield with friends.

Mrs. Edgar Cary, after a visit here with relatives, returned to her home at Republic last week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Nelson attended the funeral of Mrs. E. T. Hunter in Ensley Monday.

E. W. Green, of Brighton, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Green, Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Koenig, of Longview, spent Sunday in the city with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Koenig.

In this issue will be found a change in the 'ad' of The Judge Co. Don't fail to read what they have to say.

Edward Hicks left last Thursday for Madison, Ga., where he has a position with the Southern Bell Telephone Co.

W. M. Connell, C. H. Hill, T. M. Williams, W. C. Etness, J. C. Farris and several others of beat 2, were in town Monday.

J. A. Griffin, of near Helena, was in the city Monday en route to Montgomery to stand the State Bar examination to practice law.

Miss Myrtle Miles, society editor of the Birmingham Age-Herald, spent Sunday in the city with her parents, Col. and Mrs. J. E. Miles.

Misses Gertrude and Carrie DuBose, after a visit here with relatives and friends, left Saturday for Birmingham to visit relatives.

Misses Emily and Emma Koenig, of Birmingham, spent a few days in the city last week and this, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Koenig.

A new schedule went into effect on the Southern Sunday, as follows: No. 15 southbound, arrives at 3:21 instead of 2:32 p. m., No. 9 arrives at 5:48 instead of 3:45 p. m. No change was made in the northbound trains.

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NEGROES SHOOT 7 WHITE MEN NEAR CHILDERSBURG

Row Over Watermelons Cause
Of Trouble—Occurred While
On Hay Ride

1 NEGRO FATALLY WOUNDED

Childersburg, July 16.—As a result of what almost developed into a race riot near here last Tuesday night, seven white men, Chancellor Finn, Ferrill Hobbs, Frank Houston, Tubbie Tate, Will Hughes and a man named Zeke, are suffering from gunshot wounds, none of them fatal, and a negro, Mark Lewis, is in the jail at Talladega with two bullet holes through his body.

The trouble began during a hay ride. A number of Childersburg young men and women had stopped near a negro church in the neighborhood of Mark Lewis's farm, and were eating water melons. The negro came up and accused the young men stealing his melons. Words followed and the negro fired seriously but not fatally wounding Chancellor Finn. The negro fled and the young men returned to town and secured weapons, later going with the officers to the negro's house to capture him. Mark Lewis and two other negroes in the house opened fire wounding the men whose names are given above. In the fusillade Mark Lewis was badly shot and was captured while the other two negroes escaped.

The negro was brought to Childersburg but threats of lynching were so strong that he was carried to Talladega for safe keeping. For a time Tuesday night it was feared that there might be a clash between the whites and blacks of Childersburg but wise council finally prevailed and serious trouble averted, most of the negroes going into hiding.

Cupid Plays Hero Through Mails

Anniston, July 19.—Following a spirited correspondence, Miss Lillian Earl Bray of this city left a few days ago for Kaufman, Texas, where she was married to J. O. Gallops, engineer for an electric light company there, whom she had never seen until she alighted from the train. Rev. W. A. Stuckey performed the ceremony, after which the bride and groom left for Terrel, where they will reside.

Announcement!

To the qualified voters of Columbiana:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Mayor of the Town of Columbiana, Alabama, at the municipal election to be held in said town on the third Monday in September, 1914.

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Mrs. Jno. S. Pitts Entertains Culture Club

On last Thursday afternoon Mrs. John S. Pitts entertained the Culture Club. After the business of the meeting was over games were played, after which delightful refreshments were served.

Athens Sheriff Fined By Judge Alston

Athens, July 17.—The present term of the criminal court is getting more results in the way of convictions than any term held here in years. Solicitor Almon said that yesterday was bargain day, more than twenty cases submitted on pleas of guilty and seeking the mercy of the court. Judge Alston is presiding with an iron will and he fined Sheriff Colbert twice for not keeping order in the court house yesterday, something never done here before. All witnesses and jurors are kept in the court room. The Judge announced that it would not be comfortable for any of them to be called and not be present to answer to their names.

DARGIN ITEMS

J. W. Moore, Jr., of near Westover was in our community last week visiting friends.

Rev. A. M. Freeman of Calera filed his regular appointment at the Methodist church here Sunday afternoon.

Wiley Merrell and family of Fayetteville visited the family of G. D. Baldwin and J. F. Edwards here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Sharbutt spent Sunday near Longview with their daughter, Mrs. E. T. Hughes.

Walter Lyons of Calera was here Sunday.

Ooley Moore and Lewis Bentley of near Westover was in our community last Thursday.

G. D. Baldwin and son, Herbert, spent a part of Sunday near Dogwood with relatives.

T. M. Duncan, formerly of Dargin, but now of the Kingdom, was here last week en route to Spring Creek.

Little Miss Lillian Evans of Ensley visited relatives here last week and left Sunday for a visit to relatives near Dogwood.

Pam Pitts of Columbiana was a business visitor to our community Thursday.

W. D. Ozley transacted business in Birmingham Monday.

Miss Lula Mae Nabors spent a few days here last week with her sister, Mrs. G. D. Baldwin.

J. S. Evans of Ensley was in our community Saturday on business.

Sunday School was very well attended at this place Sunday afternoon. We still have room for some more.

D. W. Sharbutt and G. D. Baldwin made Calera a business trip Monday.

M. C. Butler, of near this place, transacted business in Columbiana Monday.

Will Ricker, of near Wilsonville, and Miss Lucile Ozley, were married in Columbiana Sunday. We wish for them much success.

Sunday was a long and lonesome day for poor old Wild Bill for he had to stay at home all day by himself and the day seemed to be 54 hours long.

One of the heaviest rains of the season fell here Saturday afternoon.

Mex L. Sharbutt and Master Max Beatty transacted business at Calera Tuesday.

The infant of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Atchinson was buried here Thursday afternoon.

Wild Bill.

Dr. J. S. Moore

Wishes to notify the public that his office is over Pitt's store, where he is ready to serve you and fill his own prescriptions.

FARMERS' MEETING AT SPRING CREEK

Montevallo, July 18.—The Farmers' Union and Institute held at Spring Creek school house last Wednesday and Thursday was a great meeting.

Different parts of the county were well represented, and a great deal of interest was manifested. The attendance each day was over 300.

L. R. Neel of Nashville, Tenn., and R. E. Lambert of Darlington, Ala., were among the principal speakers. Mr. Neel's topic on Wednesday was "Soil Building." He gave the farmers some very practical and clear ideas on the general principles underlying the improvement of the soil. The keynote of his talk was the addition of vegetable matter to the soil through rotation and live stock.

R. E. Lambert, the "clover king" of Wilcox county, spoke Thursday on "Clovers." Mr. Lambert strongly advocated the use of clovers and other legumes and particularly recommended Bur Clover for this section. He stated it would grow on all our soils, and when once established it would give a continual winter cover crop and in the spring would give a crop of green manure to turn under for corn or cotton and in the winter would cover the same ground without reseeding.

Miss Helen Harlan, county nurse of Chilton County, gave a very interesting and helpful talk on "Home Conveniences and Health." Among the other speakers who gave good talks were O. P. Ford, McFall, Ala.; A. J. Gleen, Ashland; C. E. Leonard, Pelham; W. A. Morris, Talladega; C. H. Conway, Jemison.

There is no doubt that the farmers of Shelby County are fast waking up to their possibilities of their soil and are beginning to study their business as a business.

Both Mr. Neel and Mr. Lambert were enthusiastic over the possibilities of our county and stated that it should rank among the very best counties of the State. Does it?

COTTON EXPORTS RECORD BREAKER

Washington, July 20.—Raw cotton exports from the United States broke all records during the fiscal year 1913-14 with a total value of \$610,000,000 as compared with the previous high record of \$585,000,000 for 1910-11, according to a statement issued by the department of commerce today. Twelve years ago the exports were only \$291,000,000.

The number of bales of cotton exported was only 9,165,000 as against 10,675,445 bales in 1912, the greater value being due to an average price of 12.8 cents as compared with 10.2 in 1912.

Great Britain and Germany took more than two-thirds of the exports. France, Italy, Japan, Spain, Belgium and Canada were the purchasers next in order.

Alabama Veterans Meet In October

Mobile, July 20.—The reunion of the Alabama division, United Confederate Veterans, will be held in this city in the latter part of October. The time has been approved of by Major General Harvey E. Jones, and the convention committee of the Mobile Chamber of Commerce.

Barbecue and Picnic

There will be a barbecue and picnic at Dogwood on Saturday, August 1st. Speaking, ball games and other entertainments will promise an enjoyable time to all. Everybody invited to come and get your share of the pleasure. Bring well filled baskets.

J. D. Smith,
Chm. Arrangement Com.

CALL ISSUED TO PROGRESSIVES

From The Birmingham News.

Official call for the Progressive State Convention to be held August 5 in Birmingham has been issued by State Chairman R. A. Perryman. The call states the basis of representation of the various counties in the convention.

At least 500 men are expected to attend. The party leaders regard the meeting as the most important anti-Democratic convention in Alabama in many years.

The call reads:

"A convention of the Progressive Party in Alabama is hereby called to assemble in the City of Birmingham on the fifth day of August, 1914, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating candidates of the party for approaching State election and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the convention. The basis of representation in the convention shall be as follows: "Three delegates from each county in the State, who shall represent the county at large, and an additional delegate from each county for every fifty votes cast for the Progressive National ticket in the election. County conventions or mass meetings for the purpose of electing delegates shall be held not later than the first day of August 1914.

R. A. Perryman,
Chairman.
George S. O'Beir,
Secretary.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

There will be public speakings at the following times and places, by Judge A. P. Longshore Judge L. H. Reynolds and others:

Westover, Friday, July 31, 10 A. M.
Chelsea, Saturday, Aug. 1, 10:30 A. M.
Dunnivant, Tuesday, Aug. 11, 10:30 A. M.
Vandiver, Tuesday night, August 11, 8 P. M.
Sterrett, Wednesday, Aug. 12, 10:30 A. M.
Harpersville, Thursday, Aug. 13, 10 A. M.
Creswell, Thursday night, Aug. 13, 8 P. M.
Pelham, Friday, Aug. 14, 11 A. M.
Vincent, Saturday, Aug. 15, 10:30 A. M.
The opposition is invited to meet us at the above times and places and division of time will be granted. The campaign will be conducted upon a high plain and every voter in the county, regardless of party affiliations, is invited to be present and hear the issues discussed. The ladies are especially invited to attend and bring baskets if convenient.

J. A. Jackson,
Chm. Republican and Progressive
Campaign Committee.

Florence Normal.

Attention is called to the advertisement of the Florence Normal School elsewhere in this paper. A glance at the illustrated catalogue shows a group of handsome buildings including the new dormitory for women.

The enrollment of last session of seven hundred students from thirty six counties is perhaps the record for Normal School attendance in the states's history.

Accuracy in scholarship and thoroughness in professional training are said to be insisted upon at Florence. To be known as a "Graduate of Florence" is only another way of saying that a person is a good school teacher.

This school is located on a tableland in the beautiful Tennessee Valley. It has a faculty of twenty strong men and women. Domestic science and domestic art are emphasized.

It is said to be one year older than any other normal school in the South. It is a great school and it has a splendid record of achievement.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT WESTOVER

I am authorized to announce that their will be public political speaking and picnic at Westover, Friday, July 31, at 10 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited, and especially the ladies. The speakers will be Judge A. P. Longshore, Judge L. H. Reynolds of Chilton county and others. Don't fail to attend and hear the issues of the day. There are things concerning your county affairs that you should know. Bring dinner. There will be ball games before and after the speaking.

I am also authorized to state that on Saturday, Aug. 1st, there will be speaking at Chelsea at 10 a. m., as you will see in the paper, and those who will, may bring dinner.

The democratic party of Shelby county is hereby invited to meet our speakers on the stump in defense of their party.

Don't fail to come.
H. E. Archer,
Westover, Ala.

Mrs. Henry Milner Hostess

The beautiful and attractive home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Milner was never the scene of a more enjoyable party than the reception given there by the ladies of the Home Improvement Club to their "husbands" on last Friday evening. The prettily arranged punch table was presided over by two charming young ladies, and was placed on the flower-laden porch where the reception was held.

After serving their majesties, "the husbands" with tea and sandwiches, the program for the evening was rendered.

In a few appropriate, well chosen words, Mrs. Luther Saxon in her modest way, made the welcome address, to which Prof. L. Leftwich responded, in his genial clever manner, making the ladies glad that they had planned this pleasant affair, especially for "the husbands."

The recipes given for "Cooked and Cold Storage Husbands" by Mesdames Harper and Niven were highly enjoyed by all. Recitations by Misses Mary Anna Thomas and Annie Ree Milner were especially suited to the occasion and added much to the pleasure of the evening. Miss Florence Harper in her charming manner, gave interesting readings to the delight of all present.

The musical program rendered by the Club Chorus and Mesdames Pitts, Taylor, Holman and Saxon added much to the program of the evening.

At a late hour delicious cream and cake was served to the party guest, and each departed with expressions of having spent a most delightful evening.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Niven Friday afternoon, July 31.

A Guest.

Meets Death In Pool Of Muddy Water

Gadsden, July 20.—Gordon Irby, a Marshall County school teacher, met an awful death when a horse which he was driving backed over a thirty-foot embankment, hurling him head foremost into a pool of muddy water. Irby was rescued before life was extinct, but died in great agony a few hours later. He was returning to his home near Guntersville from the Marshall County Teachers Institute at Boaz, when night overtook him and losing the beaten road permitted the horse to wander over the embankment. He is survived by a wife and several children.

Notice!

I will start my Grist Mill Saturday, July 25, 1914, and will continue to run it every two weeks. If you want good meal bring me good corn and I will make you good meal.

J. L. JOHNSON,
Shelby Springs, Ala.

BIG COTTON CROP FOR ALABAMA NOW APPEARS CERTAIN

Teachers Who Took State Examination

The following is the list of those who took the Teachers State Examination held here Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week:

Lula Horsley, Columbiana.
Wm. W. Wingard, Wilsonville.
John W. Spearman, Montevallo.
Joel D. Paris, Helena.
Jesse B. King, Shelby.
Clifford L. Butler, Montevallo.
James Pate, Shelby.
Simuel Mims, Clanton.
Mrs. Olive Smith, Wilsonville.
W. S. McEwen, Wilsonville.
Robbie Lynn Williams, Wilsonville.
Margaret Agnes Gipson,
Jeffie E. Crumpton, Columbiana.
Akline Rosser, Boaz.
Ellie Bealrice Hinesley, Acton.
George A. Kellum, Glen Carbon.
Ivy S. Crumpton, Columbiana.
Alvin Richards, Columbiana.
Annie E. Lovelady, Helena.
Margaret McMillan, Columbiana.
Jessie Harper, Maylene.
Lexie M. Shirley, Chelsea.
Julia Gunn, Calera.
C. A. Davis, Chelsea.
Allene Baker, Columbiana.
S. F. Allen, Montevallo.
Catherine Cost, Keystone.
Renna Taylor, Wilsonville.
Celia McMillan, Columbiana.
Fannie B. Shirley, Chelsea.
Florence M. Glazener, Childersburg.
Janie Maske, Pelham.
Frank M. Peterson, Montevallo.
G. C. Denson, Billingsley.
Burk Wingard, Wilsonville.
Lena Chancellor, Vincent.
Lewis Leftwich, Columbiana.
Irene McGhee, Childersburg.
Mary Woolley, Montevallo.
There were 23 colored applicants.

No Weevils On Armstrong Farm

Auburn, Ala., July 15, 1914
Mr. J. N. Wyatt,
Siluria, Ala.

Dear Sir:

Your letter and specimens received. I find no boll weevils in the lot. There is one elaterid beetle, sometimes found on cotton, but not of economic importance. The other small beetle is one of the leaf eating species, and should be readily controlled by spraying with arsenic of lead powder, 4 ounces in 10 gallons of water. This is safe for the foliage. If you use paste form of the arsenic of lead, use twice as much. One ounce of paris green in ten gallons of water with a little milk or lime added should also be effective. The paris green or arsenic of lead powder can of course be dusted as for the cotton worm, but will probably be more effective as a spray, as all parts of the plant can best be reached this way.

Very truly,
J. E. Buck,
Assistant Entomologist.

MOBILE CITIZEN GIVEN SENTENCE

Mobile, July 20.—Hardaway Young former president of the defunct Southern Hardware and Supply company, who pleaded guilty in the United States district court during the last term to a charge of using the mails to defraud, was sentenced by Judge Toulin in the federal court today to 18 months' imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$500.

Young was formerly president of the Southern Hardware and Supply company before its failure, which he is charged with bringing about in allegations, and once one of the largest hardware firms in the south.

Singing School

There will be a singing school taught at Providence church by Prof. W. R. Crumley beginning July 27, 1914 and continuing 10 days. Everybody come and lets have a good time.

A member.

Good Showers Over Most of the
State Last Week Improved
Conditions Wonderfully

THE PLANT FRUITING NICELY

"Laying by" time in Alabama has found the cotton crop of this State in a normal condition, generally speaking, and a good crop now appears to be certain, despite the unfavorable pranks of nature during May and the early infancy of the plant. Reports for last week have a general tinge of optimism, brought on by good showers over most of the State and improving conditions in a large majority of the counties.

In the majority of the sections the precipitation has been good and at a needed time. It has added to the new life taken on by the plant when the drouth was broken about two weeks ago, and the crop generally seems to be saved. The plant is fruiting nicely in most of the sections, is advancing rapidly. Unbroken drouths and other unfavorable conditions which existed so generally a month ago, are now apparently few in number, although some of the less fortunate counties are suffering considerably.

Less than a dozen counties reported unfavorable conditions last week. The farmers in the majority of the counties are laying by and proceeding with their crops under favorable conditions which promise to bring about a normal and even better than normal crop. Their foresight in cultivating their fields well, keeping them clean and proceeding with their work, despite the drouths of May, and at other times, is now causing them to realize from their earlier labors.

Favorable growth during the last week was reported from the counties of Perry, Randolph, Russell, Lamar, Shelby, Tuscaloosa, Talladega, Clay, Marengo, Morgan, Mobile, Calhoun, Macon, Conecuh, Coffee, Henry, Dallas, Lauderdale, Greene, Barbour, Blount, Baldwin, Cherokee, Chilton and Covington. Open bolls are reported in Monroe, Houston, Barbour, Montgomery and a few other counties.

In the drouth-ridden counties the outlook is very bad for farmers in a few sections. Lawrence county's crop will be cut possibly one-third by the bad conditions. Tallapoosa county is especially bad and Lowndes county's crops are not only at a standstill, but are deteriorating. Lack of moisture is also doing much damage in St. Clair, Lee, Lawrence, Coosa, Hale, Elmore and Butler counties. Weevils are also causing notable damages in Escambia, Wilcox, Lowndes and Marengo counties but are not as bad as were expected and are being held somewhat in check by a systematic fight.

The corn crop is no better than a week ago, when it was practically in a ruined state from drouths which prevailed earlier in the season. The farmers seem to have about given up this crop and turned their labors to cotton or other plants. Some of the late corn has been helped by rains, but not enough to note any material improvement. The plant was already too parched to be benefited by the recent splendid rains.

Lawrence county is fearing the weevil and is preparing for the insect's extensively. Fine cattle are being purchased, and many of the farmers will go into the cattle raising business on a large scale when the weevil begins its worst work. Escambia and Geneva counties also "should worry" about the weevil. Thirty cars of peaches were shipped in one day from the former county, and tobacco fields in Geneva county are yielding 800 pounds of fine tobacco to the acre. Geneva farmers are expecting to plant 200 acres of this weed next year.—Montgomery Advertiser.

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Columbiana, July 23, 1914.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative:

H. C. HURST.

For Sheriff:

W. B. SEALE.

Keep the weeds cut down.

Watermelons are bringing a good price in Columbiana.

You can save money by doing your trading in Columbiana.

Keep in mind the County Fair to be held in Montevallo in October.

Asa Candler gave one million dollars to have the Methodist University located in Atlanta.

The merchants of Columbiana pay the highest market price for all kinds of country produce.

Vegetables are scarce in and around Columbiana this summer on account of the dry weather.

Shelby County needs a Board of Revenue elected by the people instead of being appointed by the governor.

Birmingham lost the Methodist University, but the citizens are going to build one of their own. You can't down Birmingham.

General Huerta resigned as provisional President of Mexico, and it is to be hoped that peace in Mexico will soon be declared.

We need better sidewalks in Columbiana, and the only way we see to get them, is for each property owner to fix his own walk, either with cement or gravel. Good walks will improve the looks of the town.

Meat prices are going higher, and this goes to prove that the farmers are not raising enough livestock to supply the demand. Every farmer in Shelby county should raise his own meat, and some to sell, instead of having to buy it.

Atlanta won the fight for the Methodist University to be located east of the Mississippi river by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South. Birmingham and Hendersonville, S. C., made a strong fight for the University, but the educational Commission at a meeting held in Atlanta last Thursday selected that place by a vote of 12 to 2.

Farming was in pioneer days a makeshift and looked upon as a means of getting a living where one could not obtain it any other way. Today farming is a business requiring business men of special adaptation. It is an occupation where intellect counts for much and where industry properly directed brings compensation and the best in life as a special reward.—Farm and Ranch.

The contract which was let to Dunn and Lalande Bros., several days ago by the Board of Revenue to complete the highways in this county and to build the road from here to Dargin, has been withdrawn by the Board of Revenue. Why the contract was withdrawn is not known, but we understand that there is no money in the treasury to have the work completed. There was no money in the treasury to start with to build the highway from Montevallo to Vincent, but warrants were issued to build the road, which amounted to \$200,000.

FODDER PULLING DOESN'T PAY

The practice of fodder pulling, which has been followed in the South so long, and which is still prevalent today on many farms, is a practice destined to decrease the corn yields of any given year and to lower the vitality of the seed for the following year.

It will not take very much experimenting on the part of any farmer to prove to his entire satisfaction that fodder pulling does not pay. I know when you talk of not pulling fodder you touch a tender spot with the majority of farmers, for many of them believe it is the thing to do, but let me urge every farmer to follow out the advice of our agricultural papers, "to think more for himself" and experiment to find out whether or not a thing pays, if he cannot be convinced by the experience of others.

The results of our experiments for the past four years show conclusively that where fodder is pulled when the bottom leaves begin to turn, there is a loss of at least 24 per cent in yield of corn. If pulled when three-fourths of the leaves are dry, there is about 10 per cent decrease in yield.

At first thought one might think this 24 per cent decrease in yield was the only loss from fodder pulling but the fact is, this presents only a part of the loss, since much of the loss comes through the effect on the yield of the next year's crop. Seed corn taken from a fodder-pulled field is very much lower in vitality than seed corn taken from a field properly matured and developed, and consequently when such seed is planted a decrease in crop yields must necessarily result. Not only will the yield be lowered but the quality of the corn also, for anything which tends to lower the yield will, in most cases, cause more inferior and wasty corn.

In the first case with the "fodder-pulled seed" we have a yield of 52.5 bushels per acre, showing 12 per cent rot, or a waste of 6.3 bushels per acre: while in the case of the check plot we have a yield of 56.4 bushels per acre, showing only 25 per cent rot, or a waste of 1.4 bushels per acre.

This, then, shows a loss for the "fodder-pulled seed" of 4.1 bushels per acre, or 72 per cent in yield, and 6.3 bushels per acre, or 12 per cent in waste. Take from this the loss on the check plot of 1.4 bushels, or 25 per cent waste, and we have as a final loss due to the "fodder-pulled seed" 9 bushels per acre, or 16.7 per cent. Add to this the first effect of fodder pulling, 24 per cent decrease in the preceding year's crop, and you have a total loss of 40. per cent. It is to be wondered at that the average corn yield of our Southern States for the past 10 years—1901-1910—is 16.1 bushels per acre, and for 1911 only 20 bushels per acre?

Let me insist that every farmer grow more hay and stop pulling fodder, but to those farmers who still feel that they must pull fodder, let me say this: leave at least two or three acres of your crop unpulled from which to select your seed corn for the following year, so that you may keep up the quality of your seed and not suffer the second loss which comes through planting inferior seed.—S. Pressly Coker, in Progressive Farmer.

Notice To Teachers!

I beg to advise that each and every teacher bring with them to the Institute such books and material as are required; for example, the Elementary Manual of the Course of Study, Colgroves, The Teacher and the School, etc., S. P. Williamson, Co. Supt. Ed.

WHY SOUTHERN SOILS ARE POOR

I notice in your issue of May 2 that some member of the staff has the nerve to tell the truth about Southern soils under the heading "Southern Soils are Poor—But may be made immensely Fertile."

Of course they are poor. No one with good sense of observation ever doubted it except he was misled by the orators. And why are they poor? Because of cheap labor and because of certain climatic conditions which, properly co-operated with will make fields fertile but which improperly operated with have made our fields infertile. The climatic conditions to which I allude are, first, the long warm season during which decay goes on rapidly; and second, the abundant rainfall. The first changes the organic matter to forms in which it is both of use and in danger of loss. The second makes it a loss by washing it from the soil and by washing the soil from the subsoil.

There has been practiced in the South for years and years a species of bonanza farming, with the same motto as in the Northwest, "Get it out of the land." This kind of farming has been longer continued than in the Northwest because the soil and climate together bear it longer. The favorable climate has to some extent obscured the real condition of the soil from us. We have thought that our soils were rich when in reality the richness of late has been mostly in the climate, and the end of our bonanza farming has been reached before we knew it.

With favorable climatic conditions in the South a given yield, say 20 bushels per acre of corn, indicates a poorer soil than does the same yield in the North. What then if our yield has fallen below the Northern yield? In some way our low yield must have been more profitable, else we would have come to our senses before. And such is the case.

While labor in the bonanza farming of the Northwest was always high, labor in the South has always been low. This has made a lower yield profitable and a more complete skinning of the land possible.

Let us summarize. Abundance of rain, rapid decay of soil materials, and cheap labor have together made possible the profitable production of very low yields of cotton—itsself a poor land crop—on very poor land. And so poor land has resulted in the natural order.

But who will say that we ought not to have the rain or the long warm season or the cheap labor! Surely in these very things which have all but proved our ruin we have the means of developing an extremely fertile soil. These conditions properly co-operated with will build up our land just as improperly operated with they have torn it down. The first-class climatic conditions which the South has, with first class attention to the soil, will certainly give rich soil is what The Progressive Farmer preaches in every issue.—M. E. Sherwin, in The Progressive Farmer.

Birmingham Woman Wants To Be Physician

Montgomery, July 16.—Alba Mead, a young Birmingham woman is among 113 applicants who started in Tuesday morning on the semi-annual examinations at the capital.

She registered from the Amn school of Osteopathy and give Meridian, Miss., as the place of her birth.

A negress is also taking the examination.

CIRCUIT COURT JURORS DRAWN

The following is a list of petit jurors drawn to serve at the fall term of circuit court, which convenes on Monday, August 3, at 1 o'clock:

J Pink Harkins.....Wilsonville
Robert Frost.....Montevallo
Hugh Farr.....Columbiana
Ollie Davis.....Vincent
James R Weldon.....Vandiver
Milton Jones.....Siluria
Marion W Pitts.....Calera
Austin Gardner.....Wilsonville
J Young Davis.....Sterrett
John L Jones.....Shelby
James Johns.....Wilsonville
Jim Lovett.....Columbiana
Judge P Phillips.....Shelby
Walter E Armstrong.....Wilsonville
Willie Weldon.....Sterrett
Spencer Kendrick.....Chelsea
Thomas W Martin.....Wilsonville
Joe Clark.....Wilsonville
Pleasant Fancher.....Montevallo
Henry H Crow.....Vandiver
Game Nabors.....Calera
William W Bowlin.....Wilsonville
Murius P Geter.....Montevallo
Douglass William.....Montevallo
Walter E Merrell.....Shelby
Walter Cost.....Siluria
William M Burgin.....Montevallo
Juddie Brown.....Montevallo
John T Ellis.....Montevallo
William Moore.....Helena
George M Bilbrey.....Vincent
Columbus L Gardner.....Vandiver
Jim Slimp.....Westover
Nick Oswell.....Acton
Forest C Oates.....Pelham
Henry H Baldwin.....Columbiana
Rolland Johnson.....Quito
Andrew J Blackerby.....Chelsea
George Ruthford.....Acton
Paul C Falkner.....Sterrett
Milas J Cooper.....Chelsea
William J M Carter.....Pelham
Joe Carden.....Wilsonville
J Henry Weldon.....Wilsonville
Zack Roper.....Wilsonville

Exchange Shots

In the demand for reforms by the Alabama Bar Association, it is a case of the lawyers trying to reform themselves.—Talladega Mountain Home.

The baby carriage has one advantage over the automobile; no one was ever known to mortgage his home in order to acquire one.—Birmingham News.

The more influence the boll weevil has in the encouragement and promotion of diversified crops in Alabama, the greater blessing in disguise that supposed pest will prove to be.—Birmingham Ledger.

A crate of eggs shipped to Montgomery was opened. A day or two later some of the eggs, it was found, setting, devoted hen, some fellow went the limit and put the bad eggs off on the public.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Preparations are underway for crossing the Atlantic in a flying machine. If the attempt is successful the time is not far distant when there will be a regular line of airships from this country to Europe.—Living Truth.

Notice For Publication

Under Act May 20, 1862 Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., July 10, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charlie B. Davis, of Columbiana, Alabama, who on June 28, 1909, made Serial Homestead No. 04646, Receipt No. 2310, for the W½ of the NE¼, Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 2 West, Huntsville Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Columbiana, Ala., on the 11th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses: R. M. Payne, of Siluria, Ala.
J. T. Lynch, of Columbiana, Ala.
B. E. Hand, of Columbiana, Ala.
J. F. Atchison, of Columbiana, Ala.
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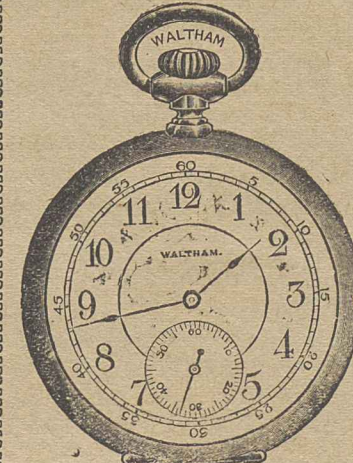
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ATLANTA GETS M. UNIVERSITY

Atlanta, Ga., July 16.—Atlanta was selected as the seat of the university to be established east of the Mississippi River by the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, at a meeting here today of the Educational Commission appointed by the General Conference of the church to choose a location for the proposed institution.

Birmingham, Ala., and Hendersonville, N. C., were strong contenders for the university. The vote selecting Atlanta was announced as 12 to 2.

When telegrams came from Birmingham suggesting more money be raised, the view of Chairman Shook and the Birmingham delegation was that Birmingham would not accomplish anything by subscribing more money. They said that if Atlanta was able to have a prospective gift of a million dollars by Asa Candler counted into her mid, it would be impossible to compete with Atlanta from a money standpoint.

Birmingham's strength lay in the fact that she was the best bidder, not the highest. She was the best because of her location, her facilities for strengthening a university faculty with her array of technological experts, because of her certain growth in the next ten years into the largest city in the South; because of her present lack of any great school, while Atlanta has two other large educational institutions which will divide local and neighborhood patronage; and, finally, the best bidder because all Birmingham was aroused and keen for the location, while the bulk of Atlanta's people showed little enthusiasm for the enterprise.

Made \$700 on \$55 Cash

A fiscal genius with a capital of \$56 cleans up \$700 or so yesterday and left town, and seven Kansas City financial institutions will share the loss among them. The modus operandi:

Presenting himself with \$8 in real money he deposited that amount in a savings account at each of the seven banks. That was in the morning. Immediately after clearing house hours he returned and presenting at each bank a check for \$160 deposited it to his savings account—and then withdrew his original deposit of \$8 in real money.

With all his capital thus back in his pocket and an established credit at seven different banks he proceeded early yesterday morning to declare a dividend. Making the rounds of the seven banks before his checks of the day before had returned from the clearing house he handed to the paying teller a check for \$98 and asked to have it cashed. Whereupon something like the following affable exchange took place:

Beaming Teller—Ah, yes. But you will have to be identified, you know. Do you know anybody in the bank?

Fiscal Genius—Why, no; I'm afraid I don't. But I do business here. I have an account in the savings department. Here is my book.

Beaming Teller (looking at book)—Oh, to be sure. That is quite satisfactory, sir. How will you have it?

The fiscal genius took it in tens and twenties and a few odd small bills, totaling, as was said, something like \$700 at the seven banks plus his initial capital of \$56.

It is believed to be a foreign capitalist who had heard Kansas City was inviting investments and giving them the widest opportunity to make velvet.—From the Kansas City Star.

A LETTER FROM H. L. D. PHILLIPS

Prescott, Arizona, July 12, 1914.
Editor Advocate:

I will write again to your paper if you will allow me space.

Having been in Prescott now more than a month, will say I am delighted with the climate. We are having rains occasionally now and it makes things good, this the people here call hot, 80 in the shade, just like a fine Spring day in Alabama. I am well and getting along nicely, have bought out a second hand store and rooming house and have been doing a nice business for two weeks. Everything comes pretty high here, but wages are good; common labor \$2.50 to \$3.00 per eight hours. One need not be idle if he is willing to work. Everything is on a cash basis in this country.

Well this country seems very old to a Southern raised boy, while there is good churches, Sunday schools and good people here as well as good schools and society. People work right on on Sunday, saloons and grocery stores are open just the same. It comes very near being a country where a man does just as he pleases. This town has 28 saloons open at all hours, and it is remarkable how quiet the town is under such circumstances. There is a great deal more people attend the movies than there is attend the churches, however, this is a more transient town and health resort than it is anything of permanent industries.

Wishing you all much success,
I am yours truly,

H. L. D. Phillips.

HUERTA RESIGNS AS PRESIDENT

Washington, July 15.—News of General Huerta's resignation as Provisional President of Mexico was hailed by official Washington tonight as the first practical step toward a quick solution of the Mexican problem.

Constitutionalists, diplomats and officials of the United States were elated over General Huerta's voluntary withdrawal and predicted an era of peace in his country.

Although the Constitutionalists have declared they would not recognize him, the understanding here is that the new executive will hold office only until arrangements can be made for the entry of General Carranza, the Constitutional chief.

Diplomats in close touch with the situation declare Carbajal and those who are associated with him in an effort to restore peace, desire only a general amnesty, conserving the lives and property of Huerta's supporters. With this obtained the peaceful entry into the Mexican capital of Constitutional troops will be negotiated.

General Huerta's retirement came just as the Constitutionalists were preparing their formal note declining participation in the informal conferences with Huerta representatives to discuss international Mexican questions.

Baby Has Tooth When It Is Born

Holt, July, 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Miley Cowan of Holt, are being congratulated by their friends upon the birth of a fine 12-pound boy. The baby is the possessor of well developed tooth, which, according to the physicians of Tuscaloosa, is the first case of the kind to come under their personal observation. It is stated that only a few cases of a well developed tooth at birth have ever been reported, even in the medical journals.

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O'NEAL PAROLES SIX CONVICTS

Montgomery, July 15.—Six State convicts were paroled today by Governor O'Neal, on recommendation of the State Board of Pardons and by citizens in the counties from which the convicts came. About 50 cases were considered by the pardon board Tuesday.

The following are those to receive executive clemency:

Willis Pilgreen, Shelby County, second degree murder, 25 years; Jim Allen, Cherokee County, burglary, four years; Robert H. Martin, Wilcox County, manslaughter, one year and a day; Aubrey Howard, Elmore County, violating prohibition law, \$50 fine and six months; Lewis Brandes, Jefferson County, running gaming table, two years.

It Wouldn't Work

Mrs. Haverlock Ellis, whoever she may be, suggests that if women would "refuse to cook or wash for their husbands, refuse to kiss or even look at 'em," they'd get the vote in a surprisingly short while.

It has been our observation that the women who wash and cook do not want to vote. And as for the suggested kissing strike, there are more ways of building a fire than one. In case of a pinch, one might borrow a match from his neighbor.

As a neighbor over in Mississippi says:

"Pa would miss his daily kiss; but, take it from us, ma would miss it too—that kind of boycott would cut both ways."—Montgomery Advertiser.

ENCAMPMENT AT PELHAM JULY 25

Pelham, July 16.—Everything is in readiness at the Alabama Baptist Assembly Grounds for the reception of guests and delegates here July 28 for the holding of the encampment which is to last until August 15.

Arrangements have been made with railroads for reduced rates and tickets are now on sale.

The hotel on the Heights will be open July 25 for the accommodation of early arrivals.

A number of the most influential Sunday School workers in the State will be here to address the workers.

State Printing Plant To Be Agitated

Montgomery, July 16.—Owing to the large expense incurred by the State annually for its public printing, it is stated a bill will be introduced at the next session of the legislature providing for a state printing plant similar, though on a smaller scale, to the federal government's plant. Thirty thousand dollars was expended by the commonwealth during the fiscal year, which ended September 30, 1913, for the publication of public documents and during these twelve months no legislature was sitting, sessions of the legislature generally involving a great volume of public printing.

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"Well, I've been trying to get you for the last half hour. Please take my order. I want a sack of Usit Flour, 2 lbs of that good Coffee you sent me last, at 20c lb; 2 cans Tomatoes 25c. They were fine."
"That's all. Will you please send them up right away?"
"Yes, mam, immediately if not sooner. Thank you!"

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In this issue will be found the announcement of Dr. D. Lightcap for Mayor of Columbiana.

John A. Edwards, of Birmingham, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in the city with relatives.

E. Ogburn, of Alexander City, was in the city Tuesday.

Reese Woolley, of near Dogwood, spent a few days here this week with friends.

H. A. Worthy was in town Tuesday a short while.

L. H. Ellis was in Clanton Wednesday on legal business.

John Allan, of beat 4, spent Tuesday in town on business.

Mrs. Steadman Wood, of Shelby visited relatives here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Moore spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. J. H. Harris and children are visiting relatives at Wadley, Ala.

A. T. Newell, of Birmingham, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

J. W. Busby, of Birmingham, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Martin, of Talladega, visited relatives here Sunday.

W. E. Harrison, of Helena, and E. L. Bentley, of Pelham, spent Tuesday in town.

Supt. S. P. Williamson conducted the teacher examination here Tuesday and Wednesday.

W. G. Weldon, of Vandiver, has been elected day marshal, and Guss Moss, of Dogwood, night marshal.

Nathan Gordon left Tuesday for Louise, Miss., where he goes to take charge of the Coplon-Gordon mercantile Co., at that place as manager.

In this issue will be found a change in the advertisement of the Judge Co. Read what they have to say, and when in town give them a call.

The Sacred Harp Singing Convention held at the High School Auditorium last Sunday was attended by a large crowd, and highly enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Cosper, of Childersburg, and Mr. and Mrs. Sim Cosper, of Johns, Ala., spent a few days here last week with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Judge.

The attention of our reader is called to the advertisement of J. S. Pitts in this issue. He carries a complete line of groceries and will be glad to have you call on him.

Card of Thanks

I desire to thank the people of Columbiana, and especially those who assisted and waited on my wife during her last illness here, and who were so kind to her.
E. T. Hunter.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

About People You Know—Some You Don't Know

L. D. Tatum spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

E. H. Farr, of Fourmile, spent Friday in town.

G. R. McEwen, of beat 9, was in town Saturday.

W. E. Finley, of Dargin, was in town last Thursday.

J. F. Averyt, of Shelby, spent a few hours here Friday.

John C. Williams, of Shelby, was in town last Friday.

Oscar McGraw, of Birmingham, spent Friday in the city.

J. H. Gardner, of Fourmile, was in town last Friday.

J. T. Leeper was in Birmingham Saturday on legal business.

Jesse Nabors, of Longview, was in town Friday a short while.

Jim Gwin, of Selma, was in the city a short while last Friday.

E. P. Niven, of Wilsonville, was in town last Friday on business.

Cecil Cross is spending the week in Loretto, Tenn., with relatives.

Geo. W. Morgan, of Montevallo, was in the city last Wednesday.

G. F. Peter, of Maylene, was in the city last Friday on business.

F. G. Koenig and W. J. Horsley spent last Friday in Birmingham.

Geo. Stone and John L. Carter, of Fourmile, were in town Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Barber, of Shelby, spent a few hours here last Thursday.

Steadman Wood, of Shelby, was in the city last Thursday on business.

Prof. I. O. Ezekiel, of Shelby, was in the city Saturday a short while.

Mrs. H. W. Nelson spent a few days in Talladega last week with relatives.

Mrs. H. M. Judge spent last Wednesday in Childersburg with her parents.

Mrs. W. T. Morgan, of Atlanta, Ga., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Haynes.

Mrs. J. H. Longier spent a few days in Birmingham this week with friends.

Mrs. W. M. Polk and children returned Saturday from a visit to Fayetteville.

Sheriff and Mrs. J. R. Allan spent Thursday and Friday in Birmingham.

Mrs. W. W. Wallace returned Thursday from a visit to relatives in Sylacauga.

T. J. Wells, of near Shelby Springs, was among the visitors here Saturday.

Tom Tinney has a position with the Southern Bell Telephone Co., in Birmingham.

E. S. Sawyer and son, Walter, of Chilton county, spent Friday and Saturday in town.

W. C. Eastis and son, Leonidas, of near Harpersville, were in town last Friday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Carlisle spent Thursday and Friday in Birmingham with friends.

Walter Christian, of Birmingham, is spending the week here with relatives and friends.

Dr. Chas. T. Acker, of Montevallo, spent last Wednesday and Thursday in the city with friends.

Rev. John Milner left last week for Scotland, England, where he goes to spend a three months vacation.

Mrs. H. M. Roberts, of Sylacauga, spent Sunday in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Robertson, of Birmingham, spent Sunday in the city with the family of J. H. Robertson.

Mrs. Sallie Byrd, after a visit here with Mrs. Sallie Moore, returned to her home in East Lake last Thursday.

Mrs. Harvey Nabors and Miss Erlene Nabors, of East Lake, visited the family of E. W. Chapman Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Emily and Emma Koenig, after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Koenig, returned to their home in Birmingham Saturday.

Miss Celia McMillan has been elected one of the assistant teachers in the Northeast Alabama Agricultural and Industrial Institute located at Lineville, Ala.

Geo. W. Green is spending a few days at Holt.

T. V. Davis, of Shelby, was in the city Monday.

T. J. Weaver has been on the sick list this week.

G. W. Shaw, of beat 8, was in town last Saturday.

J. A. Thompson, of beat 8, spent Saturday in town.

Mrs. W. R. Hosmer is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

C. H. Frye, of Ozan, spent Monday in town on business.

Gordon DuBose spent Sunday in Birmingham with relatives.

M. C. Butler, of near Montevallo, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. John Strickland returned to her home at Holt Sunday.

Ed Strickland, of Wilton, spent Monday in town on business.

J. H. Mason was in Birmingham Saturday on business.

J. M. Crenshaw, of beat 8, was in town Monday a short while.

L. B. Riddle, of Wilsonville, spent a few hours here Monday.

Clarence Smith, of Bessemer, is visiting relatives here this week.

T. L. Williams, of beat 2, was among the visitors here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peers spent Sunday at Longview with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor visited relatives in Wilsonville Sunday.

Miss Maxie Smith, of Rockford, is the guest of Miss Winnie Brooks.

John T. Strickland, of Holt, visited relatives in the city Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Green is visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Strickland at Holt.

Miss Gertrude Chapman returned Saturday from a visit to Sylacauga.

Dave Wohl, of Birmingham, spent Sunday in the city with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Payne, of Camp Branch, spent Monday in the city.

W. A. Thompson spent Sunday and Monday in Birmingham with relatives.

Mrs. Laura Smith and Francois Longshore are visiting relatives at Camp Hill.

J. W. Pilgreen and H. C. Moss, of Calera, were in town Monday on business.

Rev. W. D. Hubbard, of Dadeville, spent Saturday in the city with friends.

J. F. Pope and W. T. Taylor, of Wilsonville, were in town Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Robertson, of near Wilsonville, visited relatives here Sunday.

J. W. Gunn, of Spring Junction, was among the visitors in town last Saturday.

Rev. J. H. Harris is assisting his brother in a protracted meeting at Gadsden.

Mr. and Mrs. K. H. Davis, of Jefferson County, spent Sunday here with friends.

H. C. Hurst, of beat 12, candidate for Representative, spent Monday in the city.

Henry Malone, of Sylacauga, spent Friday and Saturday in the city with J. T. McMillin.

Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Sheffel and Mrs. Frank Finch, of Shelby, were in the city a few hours Monday.

Dr. John Chandler returned Saturday from Montgomery where he took the State Medical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Anchors, of Powderly, spent a few days here this week with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow.

Mrs. Robert Holcombe, of Calera, spent a few days in the city last week and this with the family of J. S. Pitts.

Mrs. Geo. C. Scott and daughter, after a visit here with Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Lightcap, returned to their home in Greenville Monday.

Misses Margaret and Celia McMillan, who have been attending the teachers Normal School at Livingston, returned home Saturday.

Oliver Miles, who has been working in Meridian, Miss., spent Sunday and Monday here with his parents, and left Tuesday for New Orleans.

THE Columbiana Hardware & Furniture Company

Are now receiving their large Fall stock of
Hardware, Buggies and Harness.

Just received car load of large assortment of Furniture direct from North Carolina factories. Also full line of Mattresses, Springs, Etc.

Anything wanted in Hardware, Furniture, Stoves, Buggies or Harness call on the Columbiana Hardware and Furniture Company.

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This school welcomes young men and young women of intellect and character who wish to be fitted for the profession of teaching.

Our graduates are holding many of the most responsible positions in Alabama.

Twenty teachers in the faculty, including departments of domestic science and domestic arts. Manual training and applied agriculture, together with a systematic study of rural problems will be emphasized.

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Next Session Begins September 8th. Write for

CATALOGUE

HENRY J. WILLINGHAM, LL. D., President.
E. A. HENRY, Secretary.

Miss Brooks Hostess To Rook Party

A very pleasant affair of Friday afternoon last, was the progressive Rook party given by Miss Winnie Brooks in compliment to Misses Emily and Emma Koenig, and Miss Maxie Smith, house guests of Mrs. Koenig and Miss Brooks, and Mrs. Clara Scott, guest of Mrs. Lightcap.

The parlor was decorated with cut flowers and softly lighted. After a number of games, the prize, a box of beautifully hand embroidered handkerchiefs, work of the hostess, was awarded Mrs. Leeper, she having the highest score. The consolation, a pretty boudoir cap, fell to Mrs. T. G. Nelson.

A dainty six course with sandwiches, concluded the pleasure of the afternoon, and every one present pronounced "our little Winnie" a most charming hostess, and her party one of the most delightful of the season.

Circuit Court Jurors.

The following is a list of jurors drawn to serve at the fall term of circuit court, which convenes on Monday, August 3:

Terrell Ingram	Montevallo
J. Wash Jones	Shelby
L. Buford Riddle	Wilsonville
William S. Thompson	Wilton
George W. Holmes	Vincent
Pleasant Shaw	Aldrich
Austin Wingard	Columbiana
Robert W. Armstrong	Wilsonville
Wash W. Carter	Columbiana
Shelby Horton	Shelby
Walter M. Hayes	Helena
Floyd M. Connell	Shelby
Abe B. Turner	Sterrett
J. B. Templin	Columbiana
Tom E. Davis	Vincent

The Judge Company has bought the Columbiana Bottling Works.

In Honor of Miss Ida Deane Scott

Miss Ida Deane Scott was guest of honor at a pretty party given by Dr. and Mrs. D. S. Lightcap on Saturday afternoon. Eighteen little girls gathered on the lawn made a pretty sight for all eyes, and the different games were enjoyed to the fullest.

In the "goober race" the prize was won by Blanche Lester; the booby fell to Ruth Rider.

At the conclusion of the games an ice course was served amid many exclamations of delight over the prettily decorated table in the dining room.

Ida Deane, with her talent as a reader, added much pleasure to "the crowd," and we hope she will visit us again soon.

Program Sunday School Convention

The following is the program of the Sunday School Convention to be held with Saginaw Methodist Sunday School the 2nd Sunday in August:

10:00 a. m.	Sunday School.
11:15.	Address by Dr. T. W. Palmer, President Alabama Girls Technical Institute.
12:00 m.	Dinner.
1:30 p. m.	Devotional exercises, led by Rev. E. M. Burks.
1:45.	Systematic Missionary Instruction in the Sunday School—Dr. W. A. Hays.
2:30.	The Efficient Superintendent—Rev. A. M. Freeman.
3:00.	Business meeting.

As this is the last District Convention of the Convention year, we would appreciate a representation from every school in the district.

R. M. Payne, Pres.

J. H. Robertson spent Wednesday in Birmingham.

SOLVENT CREDITS SHOULD BE ASSESSED

The Supreme Court Handed Down A Decision Saturday To That Effect

NOTICES BEING SENT OUT

The Supreme Court handed down a decision Saturday that solvent credits are taxable. Notices are now being sent out by the tax assessor requesting property owners to make an assessment for escape taxes on solvent credits and credits of value for the years beginning October 1st, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912 and 1913.

The term "solvent credits" include book accounts, notes, judgments, bonds, rents, annuities, insurance policies which have a cash surrender value, paid up insurance policies whether they have a cash surrender value or not, mortgages upon which the privilege tax has not been paid, and in general, all debts of any character which are not wholly worthless, and all valuable rights arising under contract.

Will Serve Ice Cream

The ladies of the Woman's Missionary Society will serve cream and cake Saturday afternoon from 3 to 9 p. m. at the Shelby County Sun office for the benefit of the Orphans Home. All are invited to come and help make it a success.

Dog Gives Warning And Distillers Escape

Dadeville, July 25.—Deputy United States Marshal W. L. Duffey, recently taking office, has just had his first adventure with the Tallapoosa moonshiner, Duffey, along with Sheriff John H. Linch, motored to Hog mountain, 20 miles north of Dadeville, slept in an outhouse until 2 o'clock in the morning, when they were joined by an informer who piloted them to the still.

The officers hid in the underbrush until daylight, when they saw five men appear and make preparations for a run. A dog warned the distillers of the enemy and before they could be surrounded broke through the woods and escaped. All were identified, however, and will doubtless be arrested. The still was destroyed and 600 gallons of mash poured out.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of a Fi. Fa. issued from the County Court of Shelby County, and to me directed, I will proceed to sell, in front of the Court House Door, in the town of Columbiana, Ala., on Monday, the 31st day of August, 1914, within the legal hours of sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described property, to-wit:

East half of northeast fourth and northeast fourth of southeast fourth, section nineteen, township nineteen, range two east, and west half of northwest fourth and northwest fourth of southwest fourth, section twenty, township nineteen, range two east, containing two hundred and forty acres, more or less, lying and being in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of W. D. Bailey, to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of William Reckling.

Said sale subject to all prior liens. This 27th day of July, 1914.

7-30-3t J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

Rev. Longrier Accidentally Hurt

Rev. J. H. Longrier, pastor of the Baptist church at this place, while returning from Bethel church Sunday afternoon, had the misfortune to get his left ankle sprained and bruised about the body, when his buggy turned over an embankment. R. G. Wood of East Lake who was in the buggy with him escaped uninjured.

Lightning Does Damage At Deerpur

Deerpur, July 27.—J. B. Oldham had the misfortune to get his barn destroyed by fire on July 9, which was caused by lightning. He also lost a fine mule and nearly all of his farm implements in the fire. The loss is estimated at about \$1,200, with no insurance.

Quite a crowd attended the singing at Chelsea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Douglas of Birmingham, are visiting the family of W. B. Douglas.

Mrs. Susie Oldham and children are visiting David Spearman on Fourmile this week.

Crops in this part of the county have been damaged about half by the recent drouth.

A Dreamer.

Items From Weldon

G. B. Wheeler of this place transacted business in Talladega Monday. Quite a crowd of our people attended the singing at Liberty Sunday.

Miss Edna Flournoy, a pretty young lady of the Kingdom settlement, has been visiting her uncle, C. H. Green, of this place.

Arline Fancher and sister, little Miss Burnice, of Chilton county, are visiting J. T. Wilder.

Albert Wheeler of Birmingham has moved back to Shelby County.

C. H. Green, J. W. Shaw, B. Green and their families with quite a lot of young people attended a fish fry on Muddy Prong last Saturday.

Miss Lilly Shaw of this place is one of the many visiting students of the State Normal Singing School at East Saginaw.

L. C. Wheeler is visiting relatives in Coosa county.

Gumbo.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that at a call meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Columbiana, Alabama, on July 23rd, 1914, the following Ordinance relating to bottling works or selling Coca Cola and other "soft drinks" was adopted.

Witness my hand and dated this the 24th day of July, 1914.

L. H. ELLIS, Mayor.

AN ORDINANCE.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF COLUMBIANA, ALABAMA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section One—It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation or association of persons to operate a bottling works or to sell within the corporate limits of the Town of Columbiana, Alabama, any bottled Soda Water, Coca Cola, Pepsi-Cola or other bottled drinks, known as "soft drinks", on or before the first day of February, 1915, without first paying a license of Twenty-Five Dollars (\$25.00) to said Town for the privilege of operating said bottling works or selling said bottled Soda Water, Coca Cola, Pepsi-Cola or other bottled drinks known as "soft drinks"; provided this Ordinance shall not apply to sales to consumers.

Section Two—Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall on conviction be fined not exceeding One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), and may also be imprisoned in the Town jail or be sentenced to hard labor for the Town for not exceeding six (6) months.

Childrens Day Program, Mt. Era Church

The following is a program of the Childrens Day service to be held at Mt. Era on the second Sunday in August, the 9th:

10:00 A. M. Sunday School.
11:00 Sermon by the pastor.
12:00 Dinner.

1:00 P. M. Song—Sunshine.
Recitation, Welcome, by Cora Knot.
Recitation, The Call, by Edgar Davis.
Recitation, Why? by Ila Farr.

Recitation, God is Good, by Evans Lee.
Song—God is Good.
Recitation, When Mama Was a Little Girl, by Laster Roach.

Recitation, A Message, by Elma Spain.
Recitation, You Have To, Jimmie Spain.

Recitation, Heads Up, Joe Spain.
Recitation, by Claudia Davis.
Song—Jewels.

Recitation, What You Can Do, Johnnie Spain.

Recitation, No Money, by Lois Davis.

Recitation, by Carl Roach.

Recitation, The Queer Little Hen, by Vester Spain.

Recitation, What the Robins Told Me, Kelley Aldridge.

Song—Always Singing Glory.

Recitation, Childrens Day, Hubbard Davis.

Dialogue, The Appeal, by eight children.

Dialogue, Who Are We? by five girls.

Recitation, The Little Lad, by Vuis Armstrong.

Song—Little Ones Like Me.

Dialogue, Why All This Waste? by two girls.

Recitation, What Will You Do? by Sallie Kimble.

Recitation, She Sang to Him of Heaven, by Callie Farr.

Recitation, Under the Canmer, by two children.

Recitation, On the Other Side, by Bob Howell.

Song, by Lucile and Marguerite Gispson.

Recitation, Praise God, by Alice Farr.

Dialogue, Love? by four girls.

Dialogue, Our Happy Childrens Day, by seven children.

Recitation, A Penny A Box, by Marguerite Gispson.

Dialogue, The Rainbow of Love, by nine girls.

Recitation, Papa's Letter, by Lucile Gispson.

Dialogue, June Drill, by sixteen girls.

Song—Shining Sunbeams.

Everybody come and bring dinner.

BASE BALL GAME.

The Columbiana base ball team will meet the fast bunch from Montevallo on the local diamond Thursday, July 30, at 3 p. m. This promises to be one of the best games of the season as the visitors have defeated some of the best teams of the county.

Lesters Chappel

W. H. Simmons and wife visited relatives at Chelsea one day last week.

Mrs. Matt Poindexter spent a part of last week visiting her son, Earnest Daniels, of Talladega county, who is sick.

E. M. Vick and S. L. Bradley made a business trip to Columbiana last Saturday.

Several of our people attended the singing at Chelsea Sunday.

Herbert Simmons visited at Childersburg last week.

Miss Lexlie Strother of Harpersville, Rte 1, visited her sister, Mrs. Fannie Roper here last week.

Miss Ella Walton of the Kingdom spent last week here visiting relatives and friends.

J. S. Hartsfield was in Birmingham one day last week.

Rev. Willie Hartsfield of Blue Springs was in our community Sunday.

S. R. Vick and family spent last week at Blount Springs visiting relatives.

The saw mill owned by Mr. Hartsfield is nearing completion. We hear that the planer and dry kiln will be installed in a short time.

Several of our people attended the telephone gathering at Chelsea Saturday.

Everybody come to Sunday School next Sunday at 10 o'clock.

Rancherson.

Chelsea News

The singing convention held at Liberty Sunday was well attended by the people from many parts of the county.

Mrs. Lillie Folks of Mississippi is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner at this place.

O. G. Johnson of Birmingham is visiting friends and relatives here.

R. E. Cosper and family of Sterrett were here Sunday.

B. L. Brasher went to Birmingham Saturday.

New trade is gradually finding its way to this point, and with the accommodations this place has to offer, it occurs to the writer that business will be brisk this fall.

W. M. Echols was in town Saturday dispensing some of the products of his farm.

Hartsfield Bros. are running their mill at full blast.

M. L. T.

BOOKKEEPING MACHINE INSTALLED

Columbiana Savings Bank Has Latest Thing In A Burroughs Machine For Clerical Work

A machine which adds, subtracts, keeps books and does everything almost save think has been installed in the Columbiana Savings Bank for the simplification of the clerical work of the institution and for mechanism and the power which the machine possessed in its automatic work it has everything bested ever seen in this city. T. J. Conners, of St. Louis, was here last week installing the machine and instructing W. L. Christian as to its use.

The machine keeps the books of the bank. Loose leaf books are used and each depositor is given a separate sheet. If a check comes in the machine picks up the former balance and deducts the amount of the check and sets out the new balance with the date of the transaction. Also if a deposit slip for a depositor comes in the machine adds this deposit to the former balance and strikes a new balance with the date on it.

If there is more than one check the machine at the same time adds the amounts of the checks and subtracts the sum from the former balance. If the amount to be subtracted is larger than the balance machine looks 0 where the new balance should be placed and to release it the operator sends the carriage over to the overdraft column and there the amount of overdraft is recorded.

The sheet is then removed and placed back in the loose leaf ledger. The machine is operated electrically, and can do the work of two clerks and is absolutely accurate to the degree of accuracy of the operator in recording the correct figures on the machine.

PUBLIC SPEAKING AT WESTOVER

I am authorized to announce that their will be public political speaking and picnic at Westover, Friday, July 31, at 10 o'clock. Everybody cordially invited, and especially the ladies. The speakers will be Judge A. P. Longshore, Judge L. H. Reynolds of Chilton county and others. Don't fail to attend and hear the issues of the day. There are things concerning your county affairs that you should know. Bring dinner. There will be ball games before and after the speaking.

I am also authorized to state that on Saturday, Aug. 1st, there will be speaking at Chelsea at 10 a. m., as you will see in the paper, and those who will, may bring dinner.

The democratic party of Shelby county is hereby invited to meet our speakers on the stump in defense to their party.

Don't fail to come.

H. E. Archer,

Westover, Ala.

The Oakes

Green Atkinson of Rendalia spent last week here with his brother, Geo. Atkinson.

Ernest Summers of Talladega is visiting at W. W. Wyatt's.

Miss Edie Wyatt who is teaching at Sterrett spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Thompson spent Sunday here with their mother, Mrs. M. S. Garrett.

Mr. Hopkins and family of Ragland are visiting relatives here.

Edgar Nixon and sister, Ora, are visiting their sister at Thomas.

Lewis Nixon and family of Easonville are visiting their father here.

A crowd of our young folks enjoyed a watermelon cutting at Mr. John Clarke's Saturday afternoon.

Bob Bilibrey of Birmingham spent the week end here with friends.

Mrs. Luther Garrett is visiting at Munford.

Mrs. Frank Garrett and children are visiting friends at Hopeful.

Snoodles.

\$34,000,000 Will Be Used To Move Crop

Washington, July 27.—Treasury officials today were preparing to distribute approximately \$34,000,000 of government funds to be deposited in national banks throughout the country to facilitate the marketing of crops and for other "legitimate business purpose," in accordance with Secretary McAdoo's announcement. The Secretary has stated that he stands ready to increase the amount to any extent to meet the lawful needs of the country.

Decision to distribute government funds again this fall was the result of replies from 5,000 national banks to a recent Treasury Department circular.

The principal demand for funds has come from the South, although certain sections of the Southwest and West have requested disbursements of deposits.

The distribution of funds will be made as soon as the banks comply with the regulations and present the required security.

School Meeting At Wrights School House

There will be a school meeting held at Wrights School house on Saturday afternoon, August 1, at 2 o'clock. All patrons of the school are earnestly requested to be present as business of importance will be transacted.

H. H. West.

Joint Discussion At Westover.

We are requested to state that H. M. Judge, democratic candidate for the legislature, will be at Westover, Friday, July 31, to discuss the political issues with the Progressives and Republicans. Don't fail to attend.

Minutes of Sacred Harp Singing Convention

The Shelby County Sacred Harp Singing Convention met at Columbiana the third Sunday in July, and was called to order by F. M. Hataway and opened by singing Florida and prayer by John Stone, then an arranging committee was appointed to arrange the program for the day, then the class was conducted by F. M. Hataway, J. F. Clark, E. S. Washam, T. J. Jackson, J. W. Armstrong, R. J. Moore. A contribution of four dollars was given for the State Convention which met in Birmingham the fourth Sunday in this month. We then adjourned one hour for dinner, after which we met and sang Leaning on Jesus Breast, and then officers were elected: R. J. Moore, President; L. A. Shirley, V. President; Berry Barnett, Secretary. Then the following singers directed the class: J. R. Moore, L. A. Shirley, Berry Barnett, E. S. Washam, T. J. Jackson. Then we had 15 minutes recess, after which we met and F. M. Hataway sang a lesson. We then went into the selection of a place for our next convention which will be held the second Sunday in next May, 1915. Fourmile was the place selected. W. P. Barnett and J. O. Dorrough were appointed delegates to the State Convention. The class was then directed by J. B. Moore, Berry Barnett and R. J. Moore. We were then dismissed by singing "Let Us Sing" and prayer by Judge Longshore.

R. J. Moore, Pres.

Berry Barnett, Sec.

Shrieff's Sale.

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An undivided interest in and to the following described real estate: South half of southwest fourth, section twelve, township twenty, range two east, north half of northwest fourth and south half of northwest fourth, section thirteen, township twenty, range two east, containing two hundred and forty acres, more or less, lying and being in Shelby County, Ala.

Levied upon as the property of William S. Anderson, to satisfy said Fi. Fa. in my hands in favor of R. A. Hardin.

Said sale to be made subject to all prior liens.

This 27th day of July, 1914.

7-30-3t J. R. ALLAN, Sheriff.

Jasper Ingram Captured In Texas

Sheriff J. R. Allan and Deputy Sheriff Jim Allan returned Monday from Longview, Texas, with Jasper Ingram, who is charged with killing a white man by the name of Warren near Montevallo on June 26. It will be remembered that Ingram made his escape after he had been arrested from Deputy Sheriff Geo. M. Harrison.

Mrs. W. W. Wallace Entertains For Miss Lane

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Wales W. Wallace was the scene of much merriment and laughter, and gay reparte, on Monday evening when Mrs. Wallace entertained in honor of Miss Carolyn Lane, of Sylacauga.

Such a "rosebud garden of girls" one rarely ever sees; and their frank enjoyment of every feature of the evening, was an inspiration to onlookers. "Progressive Conversation" was the game played, and though each number of the program was duly appreciated, the five minutes allotted to each couple to chat and loiter at the punch bowl was especially enjoyed by all.

Our hostess was as usual her gracious, beautiful self, and the original way in which she entertained, was an attest to her unusual versatility.

Eleven o'clock came all too soon! As the bell tapped for the last number on the program, "Eats," a number of gay "lad and lasses" wished that "Father Time" could have been "held up" for allowing the hours to pass so swiftly.

Ices and cakes were served on the well lighted lawn, and there we regretfully bade "adieu" to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace, thanking them for a most delightful evening.

The out of town guests were Miss Carolyn Lane of Sylacauga, and Miss Carrie DuBose of Indianapolis, Ind.

A Guest.

Protracted Meeting At Rocky Ridge

A protracted meeting will begin at Rocky Ridge church the first Sunday in August. There will be singing in the Sacred Harp books all day except 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. Everybody invited to come and bring dinner.

W. M. Davis.

Will Oakley Escapes From Insane Asylum

Montgomery, July 27.—Will G. Oakley, who killed his step father, P. A. Wood, in the State Convict Department at the Capitol in 1912 and was given a life sentence in the penitentiary, escaped from the hospital for the insane at Tuscaloosa some time Sunday. Hartwell Douglass, President of the Board of Convict Inspectors, today offered a \$100 reward for his arrest.

Oakley had threatened members of his family in Bibb County and Mr. Douglass telegraphed Charles Oakley, Sheriff of the County, of the escape.

After Oakley's conviction he was sent to the coal mines, but was transferred to the insane hospital, three physicians reporting that he was insane. Oakley's plea was "insanity" at the trial.

Worthen Denied Practice of Law

Montgomery, July 25.—G. B. Worthen, of Tuscaloosa, has been disbarred from the practice of law in Alabama by a decision of the Supreme Court today. Worthen's license was taken away by the Tuscaloosa County Court because he solicited business and offered an inducement. Worthen appealed on the ground that information filed with the County Court did not make the positive statement that the charges were true, but said they were correct "to the best of the knowledge and belief," of affiants. The Supreme Court held that affidavits are only to give position in court, and that it was not necessary to make a positive declaration of guilt.

CROP "LAID BY" BUMPER YIELD IS PREDICTED

Favorable Weather Conditions Prevail Throughout State's Territory

THE FIELDS ARE CLEAN

Cotton plants of Alabama are fruting and maturing and the bolls are beginning to open. Thirty days more will see the fields filled with the banded backs of the pickers. The "back to the land movement" will strike the colored laborer and the grand rush to the fields of white will soon be made. It'll be "cotton picking time in Alabama."

During the week just passed there was little change in the situation in the State. To steal the Eufaula correspondent's phrase, the farmers are adopting the "watchful and waiting" policy, the original of which proved such a success in the country. Their crops are in the hands of the weather man and the soil tillers are watching the movement of the elements and the boll weevil.

The crops are practically all laid by. The fields are clean and fairly good weather aided the plant during the week. The plants are fruiting nicely in most sections and many open bolls are being seen. New bales will soon be thicker than grouchy farmers and Alabama will begin to harvest what is expected to be a bumper crop.

Exceptionally good conditions are reported in the counties of Madison, Mobile, Morgan, Perry, Randolph, St. Clair, Tuscaloosa, Bulter, Escambia, Lamar, Shelby, Lauderdale, Henry, Crenshaw, Chambers, Cleburne, Cherokee, many others. Some of the counties have a few less fortunate sections where drought is reported.

Pike county reports probably the worst conditions as a whole. The weather has been exceptionally bad there and the drought has done quite a lot toward deteriorating the crop. Bulter and Coosa counties have also suffered some and in parts of Lowndes county the farmers are complaining. Weevils are reported worse in Monroe, Bulter and Hale counties, while a few are found scattered over other counties.

The farmers are most devoting their time to late corn crops and other such plants and as a general thing are satisfied over the State with what is considered a "good year" for the planters.—Montgomery Advertiser.

Double Birthday Party

Mrs. Claude Glenn entertained for her two daughters, Claudia and Mildred, in celebration of their birthday, the former being 12 years old and the latter 10, at her home on Park Avenue Thursday afternoon.

Punch was dispensed on the veranda by Mrs. Harry Cromwell and Mrs. J. S. Faulkner. Various children's games were played on the lawn, after which an ice course in pink and white was served, the table with the huge birthday cake in the center, being set on the side lawn. The favors for the girls were dolls, and tops for the boys.

Mrs. Glenn was assisted in receiving and entertaining by Mrs. C. L. McRee, Mrs. W. K. Harrell, Mrs. S. A. McRee and Miss Olive Milstead.

There were seventy invited guests.—Enslay Correspondent to Birmingham News July 24.

Summer Hill

Rev. G. W. Freeman of Birmingham filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Duffey visited in Columbiana Friday.

Little Paul Nickerson of Siluria is attending the school here.

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COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative:

H. C. HURST.

For Sheriff:

W. B. SEALE.

Work on the county highway is progressing rapidly.

The Panama canal will be opened for traffic August 15.

The new gin here will be ready for operation by the last of August.

The railroads are expecting a big business when the Panama canal is opened.

We need a commercial club in Columbiana, and there is no reason why we should not have one.

There will be a public speaking at Westover Friday, July 31, and every one is invited to attend.

The crops in this county have been greatly improved since the rains, and especially cotton and young corn.

Don't fail to attend the public speakings to be held at the various places in the county during the month of August.

Watermelons have been plentiful in Columbiana during the past week, and the farmers received a good price for them.

The Board of Revenue should have the court house yard put in good condition, which would greatly improve the looks of the building.

We learn that the furnaces at Shelby will be put into operation in a short while, which will be of great benefit to Shelby and Columbiana.

Good Roads Days August 14 and 15, and it is to be hoped that every citizen in the county will do some work on the public roads, on these days.

Bear in mind the county fair to be held at Montevallo in October, and don't fail to have an exhibit of some kind there. The fair is for everybody in the county.

The first bale of cotton raised in Montgomery county of the 1914 crop was sold in Montgomery last Thursday for 18 1/2 cents. The cotton was raised by J. C. Carter.

At a meeting of the county democratic executive committee held here last Friday, L. H. Ellis was elected chairman of the committee to succeed R. E. Bowdon, who resigned.

The first bale of cotton of the 1914 crop for Alabama, was auctioned off in Montgomery last Wednesday at 22 cents a pound. The bale weighed 446 pounds and brought \$98.12. The cotton was raised in Geneva county.

Our Crops and Prices Look Well

Alabama will have a fine crop again this year, despite the dry places that distress several sections of the state. Last year the crop was large and brought a high price. This year it is to be large again and the prices will be good. It is a blessed thing for the people. It is just a month now until the bales begin to come into the local markets, and week by week the inflow of money to buy them will brighten business. Alabama will again make one-tenth of the cotton crop, even though some

fields are infested with weevils. A good corn crop is growing beside the good cotton crop, and alfalfa is maturing out after cut on the richest lands of the state. So far as our own products are concerned the state is doing well. Cotton, corn and hay follow a good oat crop. With good home economy the farmers ought to have good times this year, and those men make a mistake who try to affect prices by constantly underestimating the crops. This year the crops are good, taking the state as a unit. We are proud of it and we foresee 12 to 14 cent cotton. That price is certain if there be a reasonable co-operation in holding the crop off the market.—Birmingham Ledger.

Stay On The Farm And Be Your Own Boss

There is one thing we should like to urge very strongly in this issue, Mr. Farmer Boy, and that is that you stay on the farm where you can be your own boss, instead of going off to the city to be somebody's clerk or hired man—that is, unless you have some special marked and definite talent for some particular work.

It is true, of course, that the farmer does not get all the profit he ought to get—nor all he is going to get—but it is also true that the working man in the country fares better than the working man in town. Read all you can, study all you can, and prepare yourself to be a good farmer—a genuinely wide-awake, progressive farmer—and you will, nine chances out of ten, fare better than if you should go to town.

As we see it the farmer's day is coming. The thought of the world is turned as never before to building up the country. The Government itself which was once interested in protecting manufacturers, and building up the towns, is beginning to see that the source of all prosperity is the farm. But the one best sign is that the farmers themselves are getting aroused and studying their privileges and rights. Already the awakening and organization of the farmers have resulted in untold good, and you ought to resolve now that there shall be a farmers' organization in your neighborhood as long as you live. If you are over 19 years old, join the Farmers' Union or whatever other organization is nearest you, and take an active part in it. Speak to your father about it.

Another thing which insures better times for the Southern farmer is this: For a hundred years until very recently we have had to compete with cheap-land farmers in the West. That is to say, any farmer could go out West and stake out a "homestead", and sell his crops without allowance for land values because his land cost him nothing, or practically nothing. But all that is past. The cheap lands of the West have gone, and now when the Western farmer sells his crops he must add \$5 to \$10 per acre as an allowance for rent or for interest on land values. And because of this fact crops simply can't be sold as cheaply as formerly.

Then, too, city populations have increased faster than country populations the whole world over, and it is becoming more and more difficult for the city people to get enough meats and food stuffs. There are several million more people in the United States than there were five years ago, while there are several million fewer meat animals. This is an indication that farm products must go higher, especially live stock.

One of the greatest of the world's students of rural problems declared recently that in the future labor on the farm is going to be better paid than labor in the towns, and we believe he is right. Stock to the farm.—The Progressive Farmer.

The Saving That Will Come From Cottonseed Meal

Alabama has 416,000 mules and horses. If each of these received two pounds of cottonseed meal a day for 250 days in the year, they would consume 103,000 tons of cottonseed meal a year. It has been proved that cottonseed meal is worth more than it costs, as a feed, and also that three-fourths of its original fertilizer value can be easily saved in the manure. If the manure from feeding a ton of cottonseed meal is worth \$32 50, and it is unless we are paying too much for fertilizers, then the profit on feeding every horse and mule in Alabama two pounds of cottonseed meal a day for 250 days out of each year would amount to \$2,340,000 above what we now get for these 104,000 tons of meal used direct as fertilizer or sent out of the state to enrich the soils of other sections.

But this is not all the profit that would come to Alabama, for her horses and mules would do better and there would be 208,000,000 pounds of corn saved. Two pounds of meal in the usual corn ration will permit four pounds of corn to be taken out. Two pounds of corn will pay for the cottonseed meal and the balance of the corn, 208,000,000 pounds or 3,714,285 bushels at 75 cents a bushel is worth \$2,785,714. This amount added to the manurial value of cottonseed meal feed makes a total gain of \$5,125,714, which will come to Alabama when she allows intelligence to take the place of prejudice in the feeding of her horses and mules.

Someone is sure to say this is "theory." Yes, it is theory, but correct theory and it is our disregard of such facts that prevents us from realizing the great value of our cottonseed meal. Either we are throwing away \$5,125,714 a year by our failure to feed 104,000 tons of our cottonseed meal to our horses and mules—500 pounds to each per year—or we are paying too much for fertilizers, or corn is not worth 75 cents a bushel. We are probably not paying too much for commercial plant foods, and some of us are proving that corn is worth 75 cents a bushel to feed to horses and mules, by paying more than for it.

We need more livestock, but why not use that we have to save of the tremendous value of our cottonseed meal, for the benefit of Alabama soils and Alabama horses and mules. The same argument and facts will apply to Mississippi and her saying would amount to even more, or \$6,357,857, because she has 516,000 horses and mules, whereas Alabama only has 416,000.—Progressive Farmer.

Alabama's First Bale Brought 22cts. Pound

Montgomery, July 23.—Alabama's first bale of cotton brought twenty-two cents a pound at auction on Court Square yesterday. A. L. Lehman and Company purchased it from the Hardaway-Covington Cotton Company. It was grown in Geneva County and was brought to Montgomery Tuesday.

J. E. Morrison Died of Lockjaw

Anniston, July 23.—A nail stuck in his foot was the cause of the death of J. E. Morrison, a carpenter, with lockjaw at his home on South Noble Street, Tuesday evening. Mr. Morrison met with the misfortune while repairing a house last week. Lockjaw and blood poisoning set in at once and death followed in a few days. He was 54 years old.

Dr. J. S. Moore

Wishes to notify the public that his office is over Pitt's store, where he is ready to serve you and fill his own prescriptions.

REPUBLICANS PUT OUT STATE TICKET

Birmingham, July 23.—At a state convention held by Republicans of Alabama in the Jefferson Theatre here, a full ticket to be voted on in the November election was put into the field. O. D. Street of Marshall County, was named for governor and Alex C. Birch for United States Senator to oppose Hon. Oscar W. Underwood. The other candidates selected are as follows:

Lieutenant Governor, George Beyer of Cullman.

Secretary of State, Frank Feltus of Jefferson.

Auditor, R. O. Noojin of Etowah.

Treasurer, J. M. Atkins of Cleburne.

Attorney General, William Chenaunt of Marion.

Chief Justice Supreme Court. Shelby S. Pleasants of Madison.

Associate Justices, Warren S. Reeves of Montgomery and James B. Sloan of Blount.

Judge Circuit Court of Appeals, John B. Isbell of DeKalb.

Railroad Commissioners, C. P. Lunsford of Madison and John B. Shields of Walker.

Superintendent of Education, Tom H. Robinson of Franklin.

Congress-at-large J. I. Abercrombie of Shelby.

Commissioner of Agriculture, Norris Woodruff of Calhoun.

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INTEREST IN LIFE WORK

The secret of success in any occupation, if there be any secret about it, is interest. No man can achieve success in any line whatsoever without interest in the work. The interest must not be passive; it must be active; the kind of interest that is accompanied by zeal and enthusiasm; interest that accelerates persistence and determination.

The young man who is seeking an occupation would do well carefully to examine himself. Let him convince himself without considering the compensation in dollars that is likely to follow his efforts what work above any other appeals to him. If it be farm work he is extremely fortunate because he will find it rich with opportunity and great in its possibilities. But if some other work interests him more than farm work, by all means let him leave the farm and find the occupation in which he is interested.

There are men in other businesses that should be farming; there are farmers that should be in cities and towns in other business. While reasonable success is sometimes made in occupations other than the one that appeals most to the individual, failure is more often made and serious regrets entertained after a life of usefulness has been wasted. The work that one likes best is the work one should do; the occupation that gives the fullest originality, the greatest opportunity and the most pleasure is the occupation for you. The preference of others should not influence you. Your interest is the safe guide as to the work you should do in life.

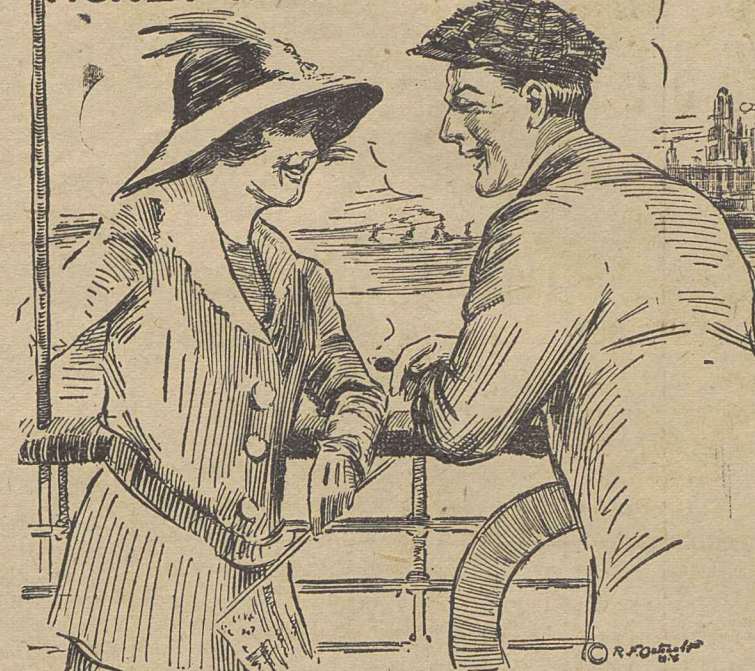
Does farm work really interest you? Is it pleasant? Is it profitable? Is it worthy of your efforts? If not seek other work and study to master your occupation.—Farm and Ranch.

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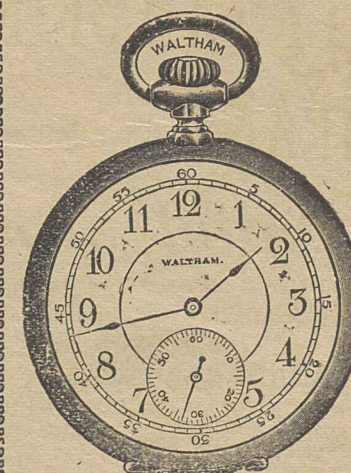


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Program Sunday School Convention

The following is the program of the Sunday School Convention to be held with Saginaw Methodist Sunday School the 2nd Sunday in August:

- 10:00 a. m. Sunday School.
- 11:15. Address by Dr. T. W. Palmer, President Alabama Girls Technical Institute.
- 12:00 m. Dinner.
- 1:30 p. m. Devotional exercises, led by Rev. E. M. Burks.
- 1:45. Systematic Missionary Instruction in the Sunday School—Dr. W. A. Hays.
- 2:30. The Efficient Superintendent—Rev. A. M. Freeman.
- 3:00. Business meeting.

As this is the last District Convention of the Convention year, we would appreciate a representation from every school in the district.

R. M. Payne, Pres.

Barbecue and Picnic

There will be a barbecue and picnic at Dogwood on Saturday, August 1st. Speaking, ball games and other entertainments will promise an enjoyable time to all. Everybody invited to come and get your share of the pleasure. Bring well filled baskets.

J. D. Smith,
Chm. Arrangement Com.

Notice For Publication

Under Act May 20, 1862
Department of the Interior, U. S. Land Office at Montgomery, Ala., July 10, 1914.

Notice is hereby given that Charlie B. Davis, of Columbiana, Alabama, who on June 23, 1909, made Serial Homestead No. 04646, Receipt No. 2310, for the W $\frac{1}{2}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 14, Township 21 South, Range 2 West, Huntsville Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Five Year Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Clerk of the Circuit Court, at Columbiana, Ala., on the 11th day of September, 1914.

Claimant names as witnesses:
R. M. Payne, of Siluria, Ala.
J. T. Lynch, of Columbiana, Ala.
B. E. Hand, of Columbiana, Ala.
J. F. Atchison, of Columbiana, Ala.
Cato D. Glover,
Register.

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VETERANS WILL RECEIVE PENSIONS

Montgomery, July 23.—As a result of the labors of the state board of pension examiners in purging the rolls of more than 1200 illegal pensioners, Confederate veterans this year will receive 45 per cent of the pension money due for the fourth quarter, according to an announcement made this afternoon at the office of Auditor Brooks Smith.

The paying of pensions to bona fide veterans of the Confederate army for the fourth quarter of this year will mark the first time since 1911 that pensioners have received any money for that quarter, inasmuch as the fund, under an act of the last legislature, has heretofore been exhausted with payment of pensions for the third quarter.

More than 1000 other pensioners have been cited by the special master to appear before the state pension board at a special meeting to held September 7, and show cause why their names should not be dropped from the pension rolls. A regular meeting of the board will be held August 14, but no pensioners have been cited to appear at that meeting.

In the purging of the pension rolls it has been discovered that the state has been paying pensions to 325 men who deserted the Confederate army. It is thought that this number will be doubled by the time the board concludes its work.

CHAMBERS SHERIFF FOUND NOT GUILTY

Montgomery, July 23.—John W. Lane, Sheriff of Chambers County, was declared not guilty of impeachable conduct, by the Supreme Court today, by a vote of four to three. Chief Justice Anderson and Justices McClellan and DeGraffenried voted for conviction.

The court is of the opinion that the "State has failed to establish the charges against the defendant beyond a reasonable doubt and the defendant is accordingly discharged," said the opinion.

Articles of impeachment filed by Robert C. Brickell, Attorney General, were considered Wednesday and several witnesses testified that they paid Lane money for fines and that no cases were entered. Lane's defense was that he had warrants for the arrest of the persons and that when he found that there were no court cases he returned the money.

This is the seventh impeachment case considered by this court, five acquittals and two convictions having been found.

Announcement!

To the qualified voters of Columbiana:

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Mayor of the Town of Columbiana, Alabama, at the municipal election to be held in said town on the third Monday in September, 1914.

D. S. Lightcap.

PUBLIC SPEAKING

There will be public speakings at the following times and places, by Judge A. P. Longshore, L. H. Reynolds and others:

Westover, Friday, July 31, 10 a. m.
Chelsea, Saturday, August 1, 10:30 a. m.
Dunnivant, Tuesday, August 11, 10:30 a. m.
Vandiver, Tuesday night, August 11, 8 p. m.
Sterrett, Wednesday, August 12, 10:30 a. m.
Harpersville, Thursday, August 13, 10 a. m.
Creswell, Thursday night, August 13, 8 p. m.
Pelham, Friday, August 14, 11 a. m.
Vincent, Saturday, August 15, 10:30 a. m.

The opposition is invited to meet us at the above times and places and division of time will be granted. The campaign will be conducted upon a high plain and every voter in the county, regardless of party affiliations, is invited to be present and hear the issues discussed.

The ladies are especially invited to attend and bring baskets if convenient.

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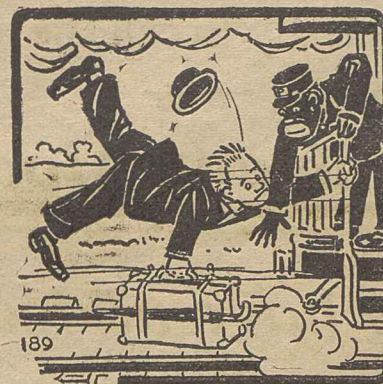
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Because, no matter how great the calamity, man has more power than any of these forces.

He can, through the power of his brain, repair the damage and prevent a repetition. He can, through the power of his brain, control the action of any of these forces.

Occasionally man builds a Titanic vessel. In the darkness, at sea, it jams an iceberg and sinks to the bottom. The horror is great, but the lesson is there.

Man has an object lesson of faulty work and the consequences thereof. His power to overcome obstacles is more deeply stirred. Future generations get the benefit.

The L. & N. reminds the people of these things because the L. & N. is dependent for success upon the power of the people. You, the people, build locomotives, construct automobiles, harness Niagaras, tame wild beasts, fly in aeroplanes, sail in giant ships.

The L. & N. is the product and the servant of the people. Every mile of its rails, every tie on its roadbed, every locomotive in its roundhouses, every coach in its depots, represent the power of the people to create modern freight and passenger traffic.

The officials and employees of the L. & N. represent the mental power of the people in their control of these mechanical forces, and conduct them in such manner as will result in the public good.

Man should take pride in his power, and use it with discretion. His tendencies are constructive, but misdirected, his powers can be destructive.

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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

About People You Know—Some You Don't Know

Circuit court will convene next Monday.

R. E. Cosper, of Sterrett, was in town Friday.

W. J. Miner, of beat 9, was in town Saturday.

J. M. Leonard, of Siluria, spent Friday in town.

G. D. Baldwin, of Dargin, spent Saturday in town.

Cecil Cross returned Friday from a visit to Tennessee.

Judge A. P. Longshore has bought a Haynes car.

L. C. Elliott, of Montevallo, was in town last Wednesday.

Thomas E. McGiboney, of Ensley, spent Friday in the city.

A. P. R. Dahl, of Calera, spent a short while here Friday.

John H. Stone spent Saturday and Sunday in Birmingham.

Mrs. T. W. Tinney is visiting her daughter in Birmingham.

R. B. Posey, of Harpersville, spent last Friday in the city.

Mrs. John Jones, of Shelby, visited relatives here Tuesday.

J. A. Cates, of Jasper, was in town last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Carrie DuBose, of Birmingham, is visiting friends in the city.

J. W. Ozley, of Longview, spent last Thursday in town on business.

W. E. Harrison, of Helena, was among the visitors here Tuesday.

G. W. Davis, of Shelby, was in town last Wednesday on business.

Geo. W. Weldon, of Chelsea, was in town a short while last Friday.

P. J. Kroell, of Montevallo, was in the city a short while last Thursday.

Miss Carolyn Lane, of Sylacauga, is the guest of Mrs. W. W. Wallace.

Judge A. P. Longshore and W. L. Longshore spent Friday in Birmingham.

Lyman Clarady, of Talladega, was in the city last Wednesday on business.

Mrs. R. A. O'Hara, of Sherman, Texas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. B. Pitts.

W. P. Bowdon and J. H. Fulton, of Saginaw, was among the visitors here Friday.

Mrs. C. A. Carter, of Shelby, visited relatives here Wednesday and Thursday.

C. W. Chesser, one of Chelsea's popular merchants, was in the city Friday on business.

J. S. Bird and Mrs. Dera Willbanks spent a few hours in Anniston last Thursday.

M. B. Jones and L. B. Foust, of Camp Branch, were among the visitors in town Friday.

W. H. Tinney and two sons, of Woodward, are spending a few days here with relatives.

G. C. Pitts, of Vincent, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with the family of J. S. Pitts.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wildman, of Sylacauga, visited the family of J. O. Dorrough a few days last week.

M. B. Smith, Wesley Ozley, W. S. Pardue and E. L. Fulton, of Saginaw, were in town last Friday.

Mrs. John Wallace, of Birmingham, spent a few days in the city this week with her sister, Mrs. H. M. Judge.

P. Kimble, of Ashford, Ala., was in town last Friday. Mr. Kimble is a brother of T. W. Kimble of near this place.

Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Abernathy, who are spending a few weeks at Shelby Springs, were in the city last Wednesday visiting friends.

Mesdames Mary Parker, W. F. Davis, G. L. Charlsie and Pearl Camp spent a few hours in Anniston last Thursday with Mrs. R. L. Cater.

Mrs. W. T. Taylor, of Wilsonville, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Taylor, of Birmingham, visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor last Thursday.

Mrs. S. P. West and little daughter, of Woodlawn, and Miss Ella Latham, of Montevallo, spent last Friday in the city with their sister, Mrs. Henry Chapman.

After learning that the people are not willing to pay 15c for a shave, I am reducing the price to 10c, neck shave 5c, hair cut and shave 35c. So when in need of a good easy shave give me a trial.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lutz and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunham motored up from Selma Saturday, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Peers.

Miss Veeta Sawyer, of Chilton county, is visiting relatives here this week.

Horace Evans, of Wilsonville, visited relatives here a few days this week.

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A. B. Finley, of Dargin, was in the city Monday.

Harry Gordon moved Monday to his new residence.

A. P. Longshore, Jr., spent Monday in Birmingham.

N. C. Blackmon, of Dry Valley, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor spent Sunday at Wilsonville.

Miss Lallage Longshore spent Tuesday in Birmingham.

Mrs. L. Leftwich is visiting her mother at Standing Rock.

Mrs. Max Lefkovits spent a few hours in Calera Tuesday.

L. L. Saxon was in Birmingham Saturday on legal business.

W. H. Kidd, of Vincent, was in the city Monday on business.

T. W. Whatley, of Calera, was in town Monday on business.

Mrs. W. R. Hosmer left Monday for Dadeville to visit relatives.

J. F. Averyt, of Shelby, was in the city a short while Monday.

Mrs. Vance, of Birmingham, is the guest of Mrs. J. T. Leeper.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Price on July 22nd, a daughter.

There will be services at the Presbyterian Church next Sunday.

Solicitor J. J. Haynes was in Shelby Monday on legal business.

Julius L. Johnson, of Shelby Springs, was in the city Monday.

Mrs. Evelyn Rylant, of Shelby, spent a few hours here Saturday.

Walter Stone, of beat 9, was among the visitors in town Monday.

C. H. McBride and H. W. McBride, of beat 2, were in town Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John McGiboney on July 27th, a daughter.

Franklin Wilson, of Shelby, visited friends here a few days last week.

Miss Bessie Barnett returned Sunday from a visit to Alexander City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Ingram, of near Montevallo, were in town Tuesday.

John B. Farrell, a former citizen of this place, was in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McMillin spent Sunday at Longview with relatives.

Miss Myra Hamner, of Camp Hill, is visiting Miss Lallage Longshore.

Little Miss Maurine Chapman is visiting her grand parents in Montevallo.

J. T. Hendrix and Steadman Wood, of Shelby, were in town a short while Monday.

Walter Christian, after a visit here with relatives, returned to Birmingham Sunday.

R. G. Wood of East Lake, visited the family of Rev. J. H. Longier Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Etta Robertson spent a few days on her father's farm near Wilsonville last week.

Mrs. G. A. Morris, of Alexander City, is visiting her parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Barnett.

Mrs. H. W. Nelson attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Lesser, in Childersburg Sunday.

D. T. Cross, of Birmingham, spent Sunday here with his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cross.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bradley at their home in Talladega on July 27th, a daughter.

Mrs. J. W. Haygood and two sons, of Montgomery, are visiting the family of H. W. Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Robertson of Wilsonville, visited the family of J. H. Robertson a few days this week.

Mrs. J. W. Dykes, of Montevallo spent Saturday and Sunday in the city with her father, Rev. H. M. Milstead.

Misses Willie and Sadie Davis and Elizabeth Wilson, of Shelby, spent a few days in the city last week with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Koenig and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Leeper spent Sunday at Longview with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Koenig.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Johnston, Miss Nannie Caldwell and Edward Caldwell spent last Thursday in Birmingham and Wylam.

Several of our young people, chaperoned by Mrs. J. J. Haynes, spent Tuesday at Shelby Springs on a picnic.

W. H. Shrader is installing his engine and boiler at his new gin, and when the plant is completed will be among the best gin plants in the State.

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J. E. Ruffin, of Helena, spent Tuesday in the city.

G. H. Seale, of the Springs, was in the city Saturday.

Miss Inez Peers visited relatives at Longview Sunday.

J. H. Gardnor, of beat 11, was here a short while Tuesday.

Miss Olive Millstead returned Friday from a visit to Ensley.

Miss Erma Elliott, of Shelby, visited relatives here this week.

Frank Milner, of near Pelham, was in town a short while Tuesday.

Dan Straiton, of Greensboro, was in town Tuesday on business.

Miss Veeta Sawyer, of Chilton county, is visiting relatives here this week.

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